

1882

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN  
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REPORT OF THE ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1882-1883.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

HENRY A. NASH. THOMAS H. HUMPHREY. GEO. A. CUSHING.  
WILLIAM NASH. NOAH VINING.

Assessors.

WILMOT CLEVERLY. JOHN P. BURRELL. GEO. A. CUSHING.  
LEONARD GARDNER. NOAH VINING.

Town Clerk.

JOHN A. RAYMOND, P. O. Address, East Weymouth.

Town Treasurer.

ORAN WHITE.

School Committee.

LOUIS A. COOK. FRANCIS F. FORSAITH. Term expires March 1, 1883.  
ZACHARIAH L. BICKNELL. Mrs. E. C. HAWES. " " 1884.  
REV. A. H. TYLER . . . . . " " 1885.  
CLARENCE W. FEARING . . . . . " " 1883.

Collector of Taxes.

WILMOT CLEVERLY.

Auditors.

ELIAS S. BEALS. ELIAS RICHARDS. F. DEXTER PRATT.

Engineers of Fire Department.

ZACHARIAH L. BICKNELL, Chief. GEO. W. BATES, Clerk.  
STEPHEN CAIN. JOHN R. H. WILLIAMS.  
CHAS. E. BICKNELL. GEO. F. MAYNARD.  
ALVAH RAYMOND. WM. O. COLLIER.  
THOMAS A. KERIVAN. WM. B. HERSEY.

Trustees of Tufts Library.

Z. L. BICKNELL . . . . . Term expires March 1, 1883.  
E. ATHERTON HUNT . . . . . " " 1883.  
AMOS S. WHITE . . . . . " " 1883.  
JAMES HUMPHREY . . . . . " " 1884.  
FRANCIS F. FORSAITH . . . . . " " 1884.  
WILLIAM DYER . . . . . " " 1884.  
FRANCIS AMBLE . . . . . " " 1884.  
AUG. J. RICHARDS . . . . . " " 1885.  
FRANK W. LEWIS . . . . . " " 1885.  
JOSIAH REED . . . . . " " 1885.

Surveyors of Highways.

GEO. BENNETT. RICHARD HALNAN. JAMES B. FORD.  
JAMES MOORE. BENJ. F. WHITMAN.

Constables.

AUG. M. BICKNELL. EDWIN THOMAS. WM. H. CHIPMAN.  
WILMOT CLEVERLY. GEO. S. HUNT. DORICH WHITE.  
ED. S. SUTTON. ALVIN HOLLIS. ISAAC H. TIRRELL.  
ASA B. PRATT. JOHN SULLIVAN. GEO. F. MAYNARD.  
NELSON W. GARDNER. JAMES MORRISON. JOHN HALL.  
OLIVER HOUGHTON. EDMUND WHITE. FREEMAN B. VINSON.  
JAMES T. PEASE. GEO. W. MITCHELL. PETER HEALEY.  
LORENZO H. LOUD. GEO. W. TIRRELL. DANIEL GILLEGAN.  
THOMAS PURCELL. GEO. W. WHITE.



## REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

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THE undersigned, Selectmen of the town of Weymouth, respectfully submit the following report of receipts and expenditures of the town during the past year, with such explanations and suggestions as seem proper.

The town, at their last annual meeting, voted to raise by assessment the sum of twelve thousand dollars for highways, townways, and bridges; four thousand of this sum to be expended by the highway surveyors, and the balance, say eight thousand dollars, to be expended under direction of the Selectmen.

We, on entering upon our duties in relation to highways, found the obligations of the town relating thereto to be as follows: 1st, a contract for working the widening of Summer Street, which, with land damage awarded, amounted to twenty-one hundred and eight dollars; 2d, a contract for building a portion of Norton Street, amounting to three hundred and fifty two dollars; 3d, a contract to build a drain across Green Street, amounting to one hundred and twelve dollars. There was due for land damage awarded in 1881 the sum of five hundred and twenty dollars; also, to R. E. Hunt, for land damage on Sterling Street, the sum of five hundred dollars, awarded in 1880, but which he refused to accept, and entered suit against the town for a much larger amount, but which the board finally compromised for six hundred dollars, which was considered better for the town than entering into a lawsuit. The bills for removing snow in January and February, 1882, were thirty-one hundred and sixty dollars. The sum of the before-mentioned items, including six hundred dollars for the Quincy and Hingham Bridges, amounted to seventy-four hundred and fifty-two dollars, which left only forty-five hundred and forty-eight dollars of the sum appropriated for both the Selectmen and the highway surveyors with which to keep in repair and improve the highways for the year.

Therefore, in making such repairs and improvements as the public demanded and necessity required, we have felt obliged to exceed the appropriation made, and think the circumstances justified us in so doing. The county commissioners last spring ordered the working of Commercial Street between Station Street and Broad Street, which has been done at an expense to the town of about eight hundred dollars. Vine Street, which was laid out and accepted in 1881, has also been worked, at an expense of five hundred and sixty-eight dollars; also, a portion of the southerly part of Middle Street, at an expense of about two hundred dollars; Cottage Street has been finished; also, Madison Street improved, in accordance with the vote of the town, at an expense of one hundred and fifty dollars: which complete the working of all widenings and straightening of streets laid out and accepted by the town, with the exception of Neck, Norton, Sumner, and the southerly end of Middle Streets, and a portion of Washington Street, ordered by the county commissioners. The working of these streets should, in our opinion, be provided for by special appropriations. We would also recommend an appropriation for paving the gutters in Jackson Square, and also a portion of Washington and Front Streets.

A contract has been made with Mr. P. Hogarty for building the remaining part of Norton Street, for eight hundred dollars, the work to be completed in April.

The guide-boards in town have been examined and found to be in fair condition.

The board have, by authority of a vote passed at the last annual meeting, purchased of the heirs of Lemuel Humphrey, for \$1,300, a wood lot containing about sixty acres, consisting of both hard and soft wood, of a growth varying from fifteen to forty years, is easy of access, and will afford all the wood the town will require, in its different departments, for years to come.

The question of a lock-up in Ward One, referred to the board at the last annual meeting, has been considered, and we are of the opinion that, with three in the town already, there is no immediate necessity for one there.

In consideration of the continual increase of the business of the

town, and consequent increase of time required to do the same, would it not be quite a saving of expense to the town to employ some competent person, at a reasonable salary, to be at the office at town house daily during business hours, and to act as clerk of the differnt boards of town officers, keep the books, and attend to the general office business, which, to do properly, would require a person's whole time?

It will appear from our report that the town debt has increased about \$2,000, which, it will readily be seen, was caused by there being no appropriation made for the new school-house in Ward Three, the purchase of the wood lot, and increased expenses of highways, the total of which will amount to \$16,460. Had appropriation for the above amount been made, the assets of the town would be equal to the liabilities.

THOS. H. HUMPHREY,  
NOAH VINING,  
WILLIAM NASH,  
HENRY A. NASH,  
GEO. A. CUSHING,

*Selectmen of Weymouth.*



## AUDITORS' REPORT.

FEB. 22, 1883.

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IN compliance with the request of the overseers of the poor, we have appraised the personal property at the town farm, and estimated its value as appears in the inventory herewith printed.

We have also examined the accounts of the town treasurer, Oran White, Esq., up to this date, and found them properly vouched and rightly cast.

The balance in his hands at date of last auditing		
was	.	\$8,853 78
Amount received since	.	160,525 94
Making a total of	.	<u>\$169,379 72</u>
His payments have been	.	156,577 05
Leaving a balance in his hands of	.	<u>\$12,802 67</u>

E. S. BEALS,

ELIAS RICHARDS,

*Auditors.*



## TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

ORAN WHITE, TREASURER.

FEB. 10, 1882.

Cash on hand . . . . .	\$8,853 78
Received from Elias Richards, collector, tax 1881 . . . . .	8,818 98
Wilmot Cleverly, collector, tax 1882 . . . . .	74,168 49
Notes (borrowed) . . . . .	57,000 00
Cities, towns, and individuals, refunded on poor account . . . . .	1,906 63
State Treasurer, for Corporation Tax . . . . .	6,402 63
State Treasurer, for National Bank Tax . . . . .	4,982 68
State Treasurer, for State Aid . . . . .	3,490 00
State Treasurer, for relief to Soldiers and Sailors . . . . .	1,003 51
State Treasurer, for Income Mass. School Fund . . . . .	203 45
County Treasurer, on account of dog licenses, . . . . .	768 84
Pratt School Fund . . . . .	300 00
Sale of Perkins Schoolhouse . . . . .	1,075 00
Licenses for undertakers and auctioneers . . . . .	20 00
Treasurer So. Weymouth Piscatorial Asso. . . . .	25 00
County Treasurer, for stone monuments, Broad Street . . . . .	10 25
Old Colony Railroad Company, for damage to Lee and railing . . . . .	124 82
from rent of Town Hall . . . . .	60 00
Selectmen (over-draft) . . . . .	2 00
for interest on taxes of 1880, \$19.69, on deposit in banks, \$151.99 . . . . .	171 66
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	\$169,379 72

FEB. 12, 1883.

Cash paid on town orders . . . . .	\$94,875 55
on town notes . . . . .	44,650 00
for State tax . . . . .	6,760 00
for national bank tax . . . . .	3,685 59
Amount paid as interest and discount on town notes	2,438 35
paid as discount on taxes of 1882 . . . . .	2,895 60
of remittances on taxes . . . . .	578 40
of poll taxes refunded to members of fire en- gine companies . . . . .	427 90
Reassessments of tax on estate of Thos. J. Dunbar	265 66
Cash on hand Feb. 12, 1883 . . . . .	12,802 67
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	\$169,379 72

The above payments do not include the county tax for 1882, which was paid by the collector, and has not been filed with the treasurer.

## RECEIPTS OF TREASURER FOR 1882.

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Balance on hand as per report . . . . .	\$8,053 60
Rec'd from City of Lowell, for N. M. Read . . . . .	4 00
Town of Foxboro, for Samuel Turner . . . . .	7 28
Town of So. Scituate, for Gertrude Mee . . . . .	66 75
Town of Braintree, for Mary Nason . . . . .	36 04
Town of Pembroke, for N. Stertevant . . . . .	240 21
Town of Rockland, for I. Nelson . . . . .	72 50
Town of Hingham, for Guy & Souther . . . . .	57 13
Town of So. Scituate, for Gertrude Mee . . . . .	75 09
Town of Pembroke, for A. O. Bates . . . . .	24 00
Town of Abington, for Thos. Hill . . . . .	10 80
Town of East Bridgewater, for O. B. Quigley . . . . .	10 00
O. C. R. R., for damage to Lee . . . . .	100 00
O. C. R. R., for railing Commercial St. . . . .	24 82
Norfolk Co. treas., for dog licenses . . . . .	760 84
State treasurer, for school fund . . . . .	203 45
East Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	10,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	5,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	10,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	10,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	5,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	5,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	5,000 00
Cash on note . . . . .	7,000 00
State, for corporation taxes . . . . .	1,098 46
State, for corporation taxes . . . . .	5,304 17
State, for national bank taxes . . . . .	4,982 68
State, for State aid . . . . .	3,490 00
State, for relief of indigent soldiers and sailors . . . . .	1,003 51

Rec'd from Sale of Perkins School-house . . .	\$1,075 00
Elias Richards, taxes 1881 . . .	8,818 98
Noble Morse, auctioneer's license . . .	2 00
Elias Richards, auctioneer's license . . .	2 00
Joseph Totman, auctioneer's license . . .	2 00
J. M. Hardwick, auctioneer's license . . .	2 00
Noble Morse, auctioneer's license, 1881 . . .	2 00
J. E. Rice, undertaker's license . . .	2 00
Howard Joy, auctioneer's license . . .	2 00
Wm. B. Lougee, undertaker's license . . .	2 00
Benjamin Pratt, care son . . .	96 00
County of Norfolk, for stone posts . . .	10 25
Town of Somerset, for L. Smith . . .	45 50
Elbridge Nash, Q. M. Grand Army, for S. L. Rice . . . . .	86 37
Weymouth Piscatorial Association . . .	25 00
City of Taunton, for care of C. J. Manter . . .	13 00
A. J. Richards, board of L. A. Tirrell . . .	40 00
Samuel Curtis, auctioneer's and under- taker's license . . . . .	4 00
Stoughton, for Ellen Maguire . . .	156 00
Braintree, for use of engine . . . . .	58 00
Selectmen, over-draft . . . . .	2 00
Joel Pratt, for board . . . . .	104 00
Wm. Nash, rent Town Hall . . . . .	60 00
Wm. Nash, for board of J. White . . . . .	100 00
First National Bank, for interest . . .	69 11
Union National Bank, for interest . . .	28 72
First National Bank, for interest . . .	2 49
First National Bank, for interest in 1881 . . .	51 67
Interest on taxes for 1882 . . . . .	19 67
Wilmot Cleverly, on taxes for 1882 . . .	71,214 69
Wilmot Cleverly, discount . . . . .	2,895 60
Abatement on taxes . . . . .	58 20
Wilmot Cleverly, for county taxes . . .	4,033 88
Newburyport, for N. Pike . . . . .	39 00
F. D. Pratt, Pratt school fund . . . . .	300 00
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	\$172,048 46



## EXPENDITURES FOR 1882.

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Schools . . . . .	\$31,180 37
New school-house . . . . .	10,230 40
Highways . . . . .	17,105 94
Town House . . . . .	442 84
Lock-ups . . . . .	51 28
Water supply . . . . .	224 75
Tufts Library . . . . .	1,500 00
Committee for the examination of town accounts .	509 98
Pumps and wells . . . . .	69 20
Town officers . . . . .	4,000 54
Police . . . . .	1,955 92
Printing . . . . .	664 68
Miscellaneous expenses . . . . .	1,401 02
Remittance on taxes . . . . .	844 06
Discount on taxes . . . . .	2,895 60
Interest paid . . . . .	2,438 35
State, county, and national bank tax . . . . .	14,479 47
Notes paid . . . . .	44,650 00
Fire Department . . . . .	4,078 29
Poll taxes allowed firemen . . . . .	427 90
State aid, chap. 301 . . . . .	3,501 00
State relief, chap. 252 . . . . .	841 23
Poor account . . . . .	12,398 24
Pest-house . . . . .	173 41
Piggery . . . . .	275 81
Wood lot . . . . .	1,225 00
Balance cash in treasury . . . . .	14,483 18
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	\$172,048 46

## SCHOOLS.

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### NORTH HIGH.

Paid George W. Shaw, teacher . . . . .	\$615 00
A. O. Tower, teacher . . . . .	105 00
R. E. Dunfield, teacher . . . . .	480 00
Helen A. Fiske, assistant teacher . . . . .	312 50
E. A. Parkhurst, assistant teacher . . . . .	187 50
C. A. Tower, second assistant teacher . . . . .	144 00
Elizabeth Chadbourne, teacher of elocution . . . . .	137 00
Trufant and Whelan, janitors . . . . .	82 31
Wood and coal . . . . .	113 10
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	\$2,176 41

### SOUTH HIGH.

Paid George B. Vose, teacher . . . . .	\$720 00
N. F. French, teacher . . . . .	480 00
Alice R. Rogers, assistant teacher . . . . .	150 00
Hattie C. Torrey, assistant teacher . . . . .	343 75
Elizabeth C. Chadbourne, teacher elocution . . . . .	137 00
L. A. Cook, janitor . . . . .	72 25
Wood and coal . . . . .	41 75
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	\$1,944 75

### RIVER STREET.

Paid Clarabelle Pratt, teacher . . . . .	340 00
J. C. Colman, janitor . . . . .	20 00
M. McMann, cleaning and janitor . . . . .	15 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	11 15
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	11 50
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	\$397 65

## ATHENS.

Paid James E. Humphrey, teacher . . . . .	\$540 00
E. F. Haskell, teacher . . . . .	360 00
Mary L. Ells, teacher . . . . .	360 00
E. F. Thayer, teacher . . . . .	320 00
Ella M. Burgess, teacher . . . . .	320 00
W. B. Lougee, janitor . . . . .	120 00
W. B. Lougee, cleaning . . . . .	35 50
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	129 71
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	26 00
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	\$2,211 21

## ADAMS.

Paid F. E. Loud, teacher . . . . .	\$213 75
Mrs. H. J. Humphrey, teacher . . . . .	16 25
C. S. Averill, teacher . . . . .	25 00
Lottie A. Ham, teacher . . . . .	200 00
Stella Tirrell, teacher . . . . .	190 40
N. W. Dyer, teacher . . . . .	104 00
A. D. Dumphey, teacher . . . . .	24 00
F. E. Loud, janitor . . . . .	37 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	22 59
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	10 25
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	\$843 24

## MIDDLE STREET.

Paid Carry L. Farren, teacher . . . . .	\$192 00
M. M. Hunt, teacher . . . . .	311 95
M. F. Thayer, teacher . . . . .	128 00
C. L. Hutchins, teacher . . . . .	25 50
Geo. W. Tirrell, janitor . . . . .	35 00
J. W. Vinal, janitor . . . . .	26 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	20 58
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	7 85
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	\$746 88

## HIGH STREET.

Paid Lizzie R. Healey, teacher . . . . .	\$340 00
S. L. Farren, teacher . . . . .	192 00

Paid P. S. Collier, teacher . . . . .	\$120 00
M. A. Webster, teacher . . . . .	8 00
T. A. Boyle, janitor . . . . .	60 00
Wood, coal, and carting . . . . .	31 54
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	\$751 54

## SCHOOL STREET.

Paid Mabel Lamson, teacher . . . . .	\$204 00
M. A. Webster, teacher . . . . .	120 00
A. F. Gardner, teacher . . . . .	8 00
T. A. Boyle, janitor . . . . .	30 00
Wood, coal, and carting . . . . .	15 77
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	\$377 77

## GRANT STREET.

Paid M. A. Webster, teacher . . . . .	\$192 00
I. F. Taylor, teacher . . . . .	128 00
S. W. Burrell, janitor . . . . .	30 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	11 09
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	5 00
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	\$366 09

## PLEASANT STREET.

Paid K. C. Keohan, teacher . . . . .	\$332 00
M. M. Hunt, teacher . . . . .	24 00
H. E. Darcy, teacher . . . . .	168 00
H. McEnroe, janitor . . . . .	54 50
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	39 77
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	7 63
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	\$625 90

## BICKNELL.

Paid M. J. Hawes, teacher . . . . .	\$340 00
M. E. Hanson, teacher . . . . .	288 40
H. M. Terry, teacher . . . . .	108 00
F. J. Fay, teacher . . . . .	32 50
N. Wood, janitor . . . . .	76 50
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	47 32
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	19 75
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	\$912 47



## FRANKLIN.

Paid E. E. Thompson, teacher	.	.	.	.	\$900 00
A. F. Gardner, teacher	.	.	.	.	189 60
M. F. Leavitt, teacher	.	.	.	.	340 00
M. E. Long, teacher	.	.	.	.	380 00
E. G. Parrott, teacher	.	.	.	.	380 00
C. B. Tower, teacher	.	.	.	.	128 00
A. B. Pratt, janitor	.	.	.	.	161 50
J. Loud & Co., coal	.	.	.	.	105 61
W. C. Austin, wood and carting	.	.	.	.	30 63
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					\$2,615 34

## TREMONT.

Paid A. W. Knights, teacher	.	.	.	.	\$204 00
C. DeArcey, teacher	.	.	.	.	96 00
H. L. Read, teacher	.	.	.	.	96 00
J. W. Armington, janitor	.	.	.	.	37 69
Wood, coal, and carting	.	.	.	.	27 44
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					\$461 13

## PERKINS.

Paid M. L. Hunt, teacher	.	.	.	.	\$192 00
S. L. Hunt, teacher	.	.	.	.	190 40
G. W. Richardson, janitor	.	.	.	.	34 00
J. Loud & Co., coal	.	.	.	.	11 00
W. C. Austin, wood and carting	.	.	.	.	75
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					\$428 15

## CENTRE.

Paid M. J. Moore, teacher	.	.	.	.	\$340 00
J. C. Wendell, janitor	.	.	.	.	33 00
Wood, coal, and carting	.	.	.	.	20 00
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					\$393 00

## HOLBROOK.

Paid E. S. Spilstead, teacher	.	.	.	.	\$340 00
B. White, janitor	.	.	.	.	30 00

Paid J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	\$25 47
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	11 65
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	\$407 12

## PRATT.

Paid Geo. C. Torrey, teacher . . . . .	\$900 00
M. L. Dyer, teacher . . . . .	340 00
S. W. Spilstead, teacher . . . . .	340 00
Geo. C. Torrey, janitor . . . . .	102 80
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	39 34
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	25 45
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	\$1,747 59

## LINCOLN AND TUFTS.

Paid J. W. Armington, teacher . . . . .	\$900 00
M. L. Lewis, teacher . . . . .	328 70
E. F. Parker, teacher . . . . .	340 00
H. E. Ward, teacher . . . . .	320 00
A. W. Knights, teacher . . . . .	136 00
S. L. Hunt, teacher . . . . .	128 00
S. E. Wilber, teacher . . . . .	342 00
H. B. Baker, teacher . . . . .	380 00
M. Sparrell, teacher . . . . .	14 40
H. L. Read, teacher . . . . .	128 00
N. E. Darcey, teacher . . . . .	128 00
L. E. Allen, teacher . . . . .	28 50
J. W. Armington, janitor . . . . .	146 50
L. C. Williams, janitor . . . . .	64 80
Darius Smith, janitor . . . . .	52 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	327 18
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	75 45
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	\$3,839 53

## SHAW.

Paid S. L. Vining, teacher . . . . .	\$500 00
M. C. Holbrook, teacher . . . . .	360 00
L. B. Holbrook, teacher . . . . .	320 00

Paid Asa Pool, janitor . . . . .	\$107 50
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	39 21
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	21 45
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	\$1,348 16

## POND STREET.

Paid M. E. Belcher, teacher . . . . .	\$340 00
Eolus Doble, janitor . . . . .	31 25
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	11 34
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	9 50
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	\$392 09

## THOMAS.

Paid E. J. Smith, teacher . . . . .	\$339 15
B. Chandler, janitor . . . . .	36 50
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	26 76
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	16 75
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	\$419 16

## BATES.

Paid E. R. Downes, teacher . . . . .	\$900 00
C. L. Logue, assistant teacher . . . . .	340 00
S. L. Whitman, teacher . . . . .	379 05
M. L. Bates, teacher . . . . .	360 00
J. Farrington, Jr., janitor . . . . .	131 00
J. Loud & Co., coal . . . . .	90 24
J. A. Dean, coal . . . . .	7 00
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . . . .	19 25
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	\$2,226 54

## HOWE.

Paid M. A. Morrell, teacher . . . . .	\$340 00
M. B. Tirrell, teacher . . . . .	320 00
L. A. Cook, janitor . . . . .	72 25
Wood, coal and carting . . . . .	41 75
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	\$774 00

## HOLLIS.

Paid L. B. Cook, teacher	.	.	.	.	.	\$340 00
H. L. Carroll, janitor	.	.	.	.	.	37 32
J. Loud & Co., coal	.	.	.	.	.	14 06
W. C. Austin, wood and carting	.	.	.	.	.	9 50
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						\$400 88
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Total	.	.	.	.	.	\$26,806 60



## INCIDENTALS FOR SCHOOLS.

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### NORTH HIGH.

Paid E. L. Warren . . . . .	\$3 14
H. A. Fiske, for books . . . . .	1 76
A. W. Blanchard . . . . .	5 00
Geo. W. Shaw, chemicals . . . . .	2 42
B. F. Smith . . . . .	3 14
D. N. Putney . . . . .	9 79
Geo. S. Baker . . . . .	94
E. L. Warren . . . . .	2 65
A. M. Raymond . . . . .	2 00
E. Bourke, for moving piano . . . . .	11 30
Hunt & Co. . . . .	4 20
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	\$46 34

### SOUTH HIGH.

Paid Elbridge Nash, chemicals . . . . .	\$1 10
H. Rockwood . . . . .	28
H. Rockwood . . . . .	4 38
H. Rockwood . . . . .	28
John Hope, cleaning well . . . . .	3 00
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	1 25
N. S. French, chemicals . . . . .	9 72
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### RIVER STREET.

Paid J. W. Bartlett . . . . .	\$7 57
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### ATHENS.

Paid J. R. Orcutt . . . . .	\$8 69
J. R. Orcutt . . . . .	15 14
J. W. Bartlett . . . . .	15 97

Paid J. W. Bartlett . . . . .	\$7 28
New England School Furnishing Company .	18 00
L. A. Cook . . . . .	7 00
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	\$72 08

## ADAMS.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$1 90
J. W. Bartlett . . . . .	60
W. Dougherty, cleaning rooms . . . . .	11 25
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	\$13 75

## FRANKLIN.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$7 97
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	16 65
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	14 20
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	14
Henry Loud . . . . .	6 04
A. A. Spear . . . . .	2 00
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	\$47 00

## BICKNELL.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$5 61
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	22 60
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	1 56
G. Gregory, cleaning rooms . . . . .	8 00
H. Loud . . . . .	3 91
Read, repair clock . . . . .	1 25
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	\$42 93

## MIDDLE STREET.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$10 23
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	3 10
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	8 65
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	6 50
B. F. Shaw . . . . .	1 63
Henry Loud . . . . .	1 38
Read, for repairing clock . . . . .	2 00
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	\$33 49

## SCHOOL STREET.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$ 40
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	2 37
Henry Loud . . . . .	56
S. W. Gregory, cleaning rooms . . . . .	3 00
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	\$6 33

## HIGH STREET.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$2 00
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	78
Henry Loud . . . . .	2 00
Shields, for cleaning rooms . . . . .	6 00
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	\$10 78

## GRANT STREET.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$ 30
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	1 25
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	5 09
Henry Loud . . . . .	1 64
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	\$8 28

## PLEASANT STREET.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$ 63
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	4 28
Read, for repairing clock . . . . .	1 00
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	\$5 91

## LINCOLN.

Paid E. L. Warren . . . . .	\$1 79
E. L. Warren . . . . .	7 78
E. L. Warren . . . . .	56
E. L. Warren . . . . .	1 76
D. N. Putney . . . . .	76
D. N. Putney . . . . .	7 29
Geo. S. Baker . . . . .	12
Clapp & Bryant, water . . . . .	10 00
Hunt & Co. . . . .	1 75
M. A. Colman, cleaning rooms . . . . .	58 00
M. A. Colman, cleaning rooms . . . . .	2 42
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	\$92 23

## PERKINS.

Paid E. L. Warren . . . . .	\$ 56
E. L. Warren . . . . .	28
G. S. Baker . . . . .	92
G. Thompson, repairing clock . . . . .	1 50
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	\$3 26

## TREMONT.

Paid E. L. Warren . . . . .	\$4 54
E. L. Warren . . . . .	56
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	\$5 10

## CENTRE.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$2 46
W. G. Nash . . . . .	1 57
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	\$4 03

## SHAW.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$ 28
W. G. Nash . . . . .	8 08
W. G. Nash . . . . .	4 85
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	\$13 21.

## HOLBROOK.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	\$ 60
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	1 23
W. G. Nash . . . . .	75
W. G. Nash . . . . .	1 34
Thos. Quinn . . . . .	7 78
B. White, cleaning rooms . . . . .	5 00
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	\$16 79.

## PRATT.

Paid W. G. Nash . . . . .	\$2 85
W. G. Nash . . . . .	1 47
Z. L. Bicknell . . . . .	1 38
Henry Dyer . . . . .	2 50
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	\$8 20



## BATES.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$4 46
H. Rockwood . . . . .	5 64
H. Rockwood . . . . .	2 25
W. G. Nash . . . . .	92
Jos. Dyer . . . . .	5 14
Jos. Dyer . . . . .	1 12
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	\$19 53

## HOWE.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$ 76
H. Rockwood . . . . .	64
H. Rockwood . . . . .	14
Jos. Dyer . . . . .	1 97
Mrs. Fagan, cleaning rooms . . . . .	11 00
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	\$14 51

## POND STREET.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$1 03
H. Rockwood . . . . .	14
H. Rockwood . . . . .	52
H. Rockwood . . . . .	14
G. M. Shaw, use of well . . . . .	3 00
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	\$4 83

## THOMAS.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$ 78
H. Rockwood . . . . .	64
H. Rockwood . . . . .	14
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	\$1 56

## HOLLIS SCHOOL.

Paid H. Rockwood . . . . .	\$ 42
H. Rockwood . . . . .	78
H. Rockwood . . . . .	1 73
A. W. Flye, repair of clock . . . . .	3 75
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	\$6 68

## GENERAL INCIDENTALS.

Paid E. L. Warren . . . . .	\$1 50
M. R. Warren . . . . .	4 50
L. Prang & Co. . . . .	10 63
L. Prang & Co. . . . .	12 15
Carter, Rice & Co. . . . .	6 75
Carter, Rice & Co. . . . .	2 16
C. M. Dickerman . . . . .	2 00
J. H. Dickerman . . . . .	3 00
J. H. Dickerman . . . . .	9 00
Smith & Porter . . . . .	13 50
New England School Furnishing Co. . . . .	1 50
New England School Furnishing Co. . . . .	1 25
C. F. Vaughan . . . . .	2 75
C. F. Vaughan . . . . .	5 00
C. F. Vaughan . . . . .	3 35
Treasurer South Congregational Society . . . . .	7 00
Treasurer Methodist Episcopal Society . . . . .	7 00
Treasurer Union Church Society . . . . .	6 00
J. W. Bates, diplomas . . . . .	15 81
Treasurer Trinity Parish, for water . . . . .	6 46
A. Wyman . . . . .	1 52
C. W. Fearing . . . . .	3 75
M. W. Tewkesbury . . . . .	29 70
R. S. Davis & Co. . . . .	35 00
D. Appleton & Co. . . . .	24 12
W. Ware & Co. . . . .	16 92
Iverson, Blackmer & Taylor . . . . .	15 75
G. A. Smith . . . . .	7 88
G. A. Smith . . . . .	17 80
Boston Journal . . . . .	1 50
H. H. Joy, printer . . . . .	5 00
J. B. Drew . . . . .	3 88
Hall & Whiting, books . . . . .	17 00
Gilman C. Fisher . . . . .	10 02
E. F. Bunker . . . . .	60 30

Paid C. W. Fearing	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$1 65
D. N. Putney	.	.	.	.	.	.	2 12
Thos. Hall	.	.	.	.	.	.	4 55
Chas. C. George	.	.	.	.	.	.	5 75
Z. L. Bicknell	.	.	.	.	.	.	30 82
C. L. Rice & Co.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4 50
Roger Bicknell	.	.	.	.	.	.	1 00
Geo. Bennett, one half expense on well	.	.	.	.	.	.	34 57
Bicknell & White, one half expense platform	.	.	.	.	.	.	3 00
New England School Furnishing Co., black-boards	.	.	.	.	.	.	12 00
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							\$471 41
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Total	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$975 81

## REPAIRS OF SCHOOL-HOUSES.

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### RIVER STREET.

Paid Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	\$4 00	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	2 08	
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### ATHENS.

Paid Chas. Chubbuck . . . .	\$6 24	
Chas. Chubbuck . . . .	5 27	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	22 58	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	1 25	
Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	16 55	
H. F. Cushing . . . .	4 45	
W. B. Lougee . . . .	3 50	
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### ADAMS.

Paid S. W. Pratt . . . .	\$23 80	
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### MIDDLE STREET.

Paid Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	\$3 00	
Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	4 00	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	2 85	
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### FRANKLIN.

Paid A. B. Pratt . . . .	\$7 65	
Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	20 92	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	20 15	
N. Cobb . . . .	5 00	
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## PLEASANT STREET.

Paid Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	\$33 45	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	1 38	
	<hr/>	\$34 83

## GRANT STREET.

Paid Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	\$4 50	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	7 91	
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## SCHOOL STREET.

Paid Chas. Simmons . . . .	\$23 55	
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## BICKNELL.

Paid O. Burrell . . . .	\$3 25	
Dexter Bros. . . .	32 83	
O. Burrell . . . .	92 61	
O. Burrell . . . .	2 12	
Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	31 75	
Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	2 00	
Jos. Peaks . . . .	24 74	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	4 76	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	1 89	
	<hr/>	195 95

## HIGH STREET.

Paid Geo. W. Whitten . . . .	\$26 95	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	8 49	
Chas. Simmons . . . .	1 00	
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## LINCOLN.

Paid S. W. Pratt . . . .	\$6 04	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	1 88	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	32 32	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	21 14	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	27 58	
S. W. Pratt . . . .	14 49	

Paid S. W. Pratt . . . . .	\$4 00	
Sam'l W. King . . . . .	41 30	
Sam'l W. King . . . . .	41 30	
Clinton Pope . . . . .	4 00	
Geo. W. Hersey . . . . .	50 42	
J. B. Ford . . . . .	35 10	
E. B. Bridgman . . . . .	2 50	
Geo. S. Baker . . . . .	20 17	
Sam'l W. King . . . . .	3 75	
	<hr/>	\$305 99

## TREMONT STREET.

Paid J. R. H. Williams . . . . .	\$12 15	
S. W. Pratt . . . . .	7 75	
S. W. Pratt . . . . .	3 99	
S. W. Pratt . . . . .	36 33	
S. W. King . . . . .	41 30	
S. W. King . . . . .	1 85	
G. W. Hersey . . . . .	10 36	
G. W. Hersey . . . . .	18 00	
J. B. Rhindes & Co. . . . .	2 22	
E. B. Whelan . . . . .	9 50	
E. Bourke. . . . .	3 50	
J. Conner . . . . .	22 90	
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## PERKINS.

Paid S. W. Pratt . . . . .	\$8 58	
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## CENTRE.

Paid S. W. Pratt . . . . .	\$1 50	
S. W. Pratt . . . . .	1 50	
S. W. Pratt . . . . .	2 70	
Chas. Simmons. . . . .	6 05	
	<hr/>	11 75

## SHAW.

Paid Dexter Bros. . . . .	\$25 59	
L. Tuck . . . . .	50 57	
E. Martin. . . . .	41 66	
L. Gardner . . . . .	1 00	
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## HOLBROOK.

Paid L. Tuck . . . . .	\$3 50	
L. Tuck . . . . .	19 04	
S. D. Webb . . . . .	3 25	
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## PRATT.

Paid D. N. Wade . . . . .	\$1 57	
Chas. Simmons. . . . .	3 60	
L. Tuck . . . . .	16 82	
	<hr/>	21 99

## BATES.

Paid W. B. Hersey . . . . .	\$2 90	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	14 79	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	6 58	
E. Martin . . . . .	2 12	
L. Tuck . . . . .	1 25	
L. Tuck . . . . .	19 05	
W. B. Hersey . . . . .	1 20	
B. F. Whitman . . . . .	36 87	
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## HOWE.

Paid A. J. Simpson . . . . .	\$2 00	
L. Tuck . . . . .	19 27	
L. Tuck . . . . .	15 23	
E. Martin . . . . .	89 52	
Dexter & Bros. . . . .	25 59	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	15 80	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	9 15	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	5 39	
W. B. Hersey . . . . .	1 20	
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## POND.

Paid L. Tuck . . . . .	\$ 25	
L. Tuck . . . . .	40	
Eli Estes . . . . .	3 50	
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## HOLLIS.

Paid L. Tuck . . . . .	\$1 62	
L. Tuck . . . . .	40	
L. Tuck . . . . .	5 61	
D. B. Rogers . . . . .	7 14	
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## THOMAS.

Paid A. J. Simpson . . . . .	\$2 00	
L. Tuck . . . . .	10 74	
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Total . . . . .		<hr/> \$1,418 81

## BOOKS FURNISHED POOR CHILDREN.

Children of Mrs. Alexander White . . . . .	\$4 16
A. Badger . . . . .	12
— Nowell . . . . .	2 98
Thos. Shea . . . . .	1 90
Mrs. J. Clark . . . . .	36
D. Cohan . . . . .	2 14
Parker Bennett . . . . .	40
James Fox . . . . .	30
P. Griffin . . . . .	50
W. E. Loud . . . . .	1 70
Mrs. J. Clavin . . . . .	6 05
Bertie Orcutt . . . . .	68
Thos. Spear . . . . .	34
Hugh Cronin . . . . .	60
Chas. Raymond . . . . .	47
J. Blanchard, 2d . . . . .	1 22
J. Howe . . . . .	1 41
Cronin child . . . . .	2 50
Thos. Fraher . . . . .	1 80
Mrs. Cahill . . . . .	3 18
Mrs. Miles Clark . . . . .	2 44
Jas. Barrett . . . . .	57



Children of Edward Conlon	.	.	.	.	.	\$4 34
O'Brien Quigley	.	.	.	.	.	1 95
J. Fennell	.	.	.	.	.	1 97
Mrs. E. Maguire	.	.	.	.	.	95
M. Donovan	.	.	.	.	.	2 43
J. Toomey	.	.	.	.	.	68
Nellie Cook	.	.	.	.	.	59
M. Shields	.	.	.	.	.	2 07
M. Roberts	.	.	.	.	.	2 10
D. Collins	.	.	.	.	.	70
M. Cunniff	.	.	.	.	.	3 91
Gertrude Loud	.	.	.	.	.	55
Ida White	.	.	.	.	.	1 76
Mrs. Ryan	.	.	.	.	.	2 69
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						\$62 51

#### TRUANT OFFICERS.

Paid Oliver Houghton, for services	.	.	.	.	\$7 85
Asa B. Pratt, for services	.	.	.	.	25 50
L. H. Loud, services	.	.	.	.	9 00
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					\$42 35

#### SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Paid James Humphrey, services	.	.	.	.	\$49 75
E. C. Hawes, services	.	.	.	.	270 02
Louis A. Cook, services	.	.	.	.	36 25
Henry Dyer, services	.	.	.	.	9 00
A. H. Tyler, services	.	.	.	.	98 00
C. W. Fearing, services	.	.	.	.	60 18
Z. L. Bicknell, services	.	.	.	.	56 00
F. F. Forsaith, services	.	.	.	.	89 09
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					\$668 29

#### SUPERINTENDENT.

Paid Gilman C. Fisher, services	.	.	.	.	\$1,206 00
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Total cost of schools	.	.	.	.	\$31,180 37

## REPORT OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE OF THE NEW SCHOOL-HOUSE, WARD THREE.

THE committee appointed by the town to build a new school-house in Ward Three would respectfully submit the following report: —

Your committee secured the services of S. S. Woodcock as architect, who prepared plans for a four-room school-house, with a hall in the third story for purpose of exhibitions. We then advertised for proposals to build the same. Among the different proposals was one of Ellis & Hurley, who proposed to do everything, except the furnishing of heating apparatus and the furniture of the building, for the sum of \$8,900. These contractors had the year previous done the labor of remodelling and putting in an addition to Athens School-House in such a manner as to meet the approval of the committee having that matter in charge. The proposal seemed so favorable for the town that a contract was made with them to construct the building. They commenced the job, and, after expending about \$3,000, became embarrassed, and your committee were compelled to make different arrangements. We employed Mr. Cyrus Washburn to supervise and direct the completion of the same. The immediate charge has been under the direction of Mr. Horatio N. Our; and allow us to say we are perfectly satisfied with these parties. To Mr. H. N. Our we would particularly express our thanks for the excellent work done on the building.

Your committee reported at the annual meeting in March, 1882, an expenditure of \$6,607.14; the amount expended this year, as per report, is \$10,230.40, making a total expenditure of \$16,837.54. The amount expended has largely exceeded the estimates of your committee, and has been occasioned largely by the furnishing of the building, the advanced prices of labor and building materials, and the increased expenditure over what we expected to procure a good dry cellar and proper draft for the furnaces to heat the building. The building is completed, furnished except the hall, and we believe meets the approval of the School Committee.

Respectfully submitted.

AUGUSTUS J. RICHARDS,

*For the Committee.*

## NEW SCHOOL-HOUSE, WARD THREE.

Paid Elias Richards, insurance . . . . .	\$43 20
W. T. Burrell, painting . . . . .	24 29
S. W. Pratt, labor . . . . .	45 85
W. N. Baker & Son, expressing . . . . .	31 84
Louis Wood, Jr., material . . . . .	154 92
Evan Norden & Co., material . . . . .	120 83
Fiske & Coleman, material . . . . .	14 24
Hastings & Gleason, material . . . . .	18 00
Cutter & Parker, material . . . . .	11 50
Dodge, Gilbert & Co., hardware . . . . .	4 71
J. W. Bailey & Co., material . . . . .	6 68
Chas. E. Hall & Co., material . . . . .	6 00
J. B. Rhines & Co., lumber . . . . .	210 71
Cyrus Washburn, sundry bills . . . . .	720 00
A. J. Richards . . . . .	49 00
Stephen Cain, contract for plastering . . . . .	487 21
Elias Richards, insurance . . . . .	41 00
Cyrus Washburn, services, etc. . . . .	500 00
Cyrus Washburn, material . . . . .	621 56
Cyrus Washburn, C. D. Miller's bill . . . . .	442 75
Patrick Cohan, labor . . . . .	29 63
Geo. A. Cushing, labor . . . . .	11 00
J. Conner, labor . . . . .	11 50
Stephen Cain, labor and material . . . . .	154 98
E. P. Read & Co., doors . . . . .	383 85
John Stack, labor . . . . .	29 75
G. Fitzgerald, labor . . . . .	77 52
Geo. W. Whitten, furnaces . . . . .	715 00
John Conner, labor . . . . .	48 52
Loud & Pratt, lumber . . . . .	15 75
W. T. Burrill, painting . . . . .	503 37
John Ford, labor . . . . .	24 25
A. T. Stearns, lumber . . . . .	589 96
J. B. Ford, labor . . . . .	20 32
A. T. Stearns, lumber . . . . .	9 20



Paid Dexter Bros., prints . . . . .	\$138 43
M. C. Warren, hardware . . . . .	242 52
Weymouth Iron Co., nails . . . . .	60 25
W. T. Burrell, printing . . . . .	98 00
R. R. Walker, labor . . . . .	15 00
S. W. Pratt, labor . . . . .	75
J. B. Rhines & Co., lumber . . . . .	150 33
White, Holman & Co., material . . . . .	50 52
J. M. Stack, labor . . . . .	28 88
W. K. Baker & Son, expressing . . . . .	34 80
Cyrus Washburn, for bills paid . . . . .	1,687 50
S. W. King, labor . . . . .	12 16
J. Loud & Co., materials . . . . .	179 68
O. C. R. R., freight . . . . .	77 38
S. W. Pratt, labor . . . . .	26 76
N. E. School Furnishing Co. . . . .	43 20
John Conner, labor . . . . .	12 00
S. S. Woodcock, services . . . . .	212 50
Hunt & Co., sundries . . . . .	25 54
Buffalo Hardwood Co., furniture . . . . .	825 40
Geo. S. Baker, gong . . . . .	8 75
T. Cohan, labor . . . . .	28 88
W. K. Baker, freight . . . . .	14 60
E. Bourke, freight . . . . .	7 00
J. B. Ford, labor . . . . .	24 48
G. Fitzgerald, labor . . . . .	8 80
Stephen Cain, labor . . . . .	6 40
S. W. King, labor . . . . .	8 00
Z. L. Bicknell, services . . . . .	23 00
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	\$10,230 40



## HIGHWAYS, TOWNWAYS, AND BRIDGES.

### WARD ONE.

#### SNOW BILL.

Paid Harry Richardson, 5 hours, at \$0.10 . . . . .	\$ 50
William F. Coyle, 5 hours, at \$0.10	50
Willie L. Hollis, 5 hours, at \$0.15	75
Caswell Pool, 13½ hours, at \$0.25	3 37
S. W. Drown, 14 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 50
E. Bates, 30 hours, at \$0.25 . . .	7 50
Albion Levitts, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Emmer Salisbury, 9 hours, at \$0.15	1 35
A. B. Haskins, 6 hours, at \$0 25 .	1 50
L. W. Bicknell, 26 hours, at \$0.25	6 50
C. F. Hodgdon, 46 hours, at \$0.25	11 50
C. Hodgdon, 10 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 50
Calvin Salisbury, 4 hours, at \$0.25	1 00
R. H. Pratt, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
Edward Pratt, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Frank Griffin, 27 hours, at \$0.15 .	4 05
B. F. Richards, 15 hours, at \$0.25	3 75
Frank Richards, 11 hours, at \$0.25	2 75
Willie W. Richards, 6½ hours, at \$0.15 . . . . .	97
Emerson Hunt, 6 hours, at \$0.15 .	90
Josiah Copeland, 9 hours, at \$0.25	2 25
Thomas Ahearn, 5 hours, at \$0.25	1 25
A. D. Elms, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
Minot Burrell, 1½ hours, at \$0.10 .	15
Walter Thompson, 12½ hours, at \$0.10 . . . . .	1 25
James Shaw, 7½ hours, at \$0.10 .	75

Paid Robert Rich, 15½ hours, at \$0.25 .	\$3 88
D. H. Vining, 27 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 75
Harrison Moulton, 10½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 63
Harvey Brown, 27 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 75
Frank Fitzgerald, 27 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 75
Clarence Briggs, 11½ hours, at \$0.10 . . . . .	1 15
Thomas McCue, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
Patrick McCue, 12 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 00
Joseph Smith, 1 hour, at \$0.25 .	25
Geo. Langford, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Morris Kennedy, 5 hours, at \$0.25,	1 25
Garritt Fitzgerald, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25
William Clory, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Charles Connor, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Patrick Connor, 5 hours, at \$0.25 ..	1 25
Daniel Curran, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Patrick Quinlan, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Ed. Conley, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Edward Condrick, 5 hours, at \$0.25,	1 25
Thomas Quinlan, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Cornelius Quinlan, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25
William Trask, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Conveying men from Ward 3 to Ward 1 and return . . . . .	2 00
Edward Chapin, 6½ hours, at \$0.15 .	97
L. Mauries, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
Martin Goodman, 42½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	10 62
William M. Coyle, 8½ hours, at \$0.20 . . . . .	1 70
William M. Coyle, 51½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	12 87

Paid Robert Clarke, 65 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$16 26
Francis Cushing, 20 hours, at \$0.25,	5 00
William Tyler, 43 hours, at \$0.25 .	10 75
John Redmond, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
Wilmot Cleverly, 9 hours, at \$0.25,	2 25
Joseph Raymond, $3\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.10 . . . . .	38
Henry Pratt, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
P. L. Sleeper, 54 hours, at \$0.25 .	13 50
S. H. Sleeper, 54 hours, at \$0.25 .	13 50
Richard Ash, 14 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 50
Richard Ash, Jr., 24 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 00
Horace Manson, 69 hours, at \$0.25,	17 25
Frank Kennison, 25 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 25
J. L. Bates, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
Fred Birkendolph, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 88
Albert Hayes, $24\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 13
Charles B. Thurber, 7 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 75
John Durant, 35 hours, at \$0.25 .	8 75
Frank Pitts and 4 men, 194 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	48 50
E. B. Bennett, 50 hours, at \$0.25 .	12 50
Bradley Fertilizing Company, 422 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	105 50
Fred. Clarke, $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 13
C. C. Litchfield, 4 hours, at \$0.16 $\frac{2}{3}$ .	67
Elisha Pratt, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Jeremiah Shaw, 114 hours at \$0.25	28 50
Jeremiah Shaw, 4 hours, at \$0.20 .	80
Jeremiah Shaw, 54 hours, horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	13 50
J. H. Shaw, $103\frac{1}{3}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	25 84
J. H. Shaw, 42 hours, horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	10 51



Paid Samuel Thompson, 39½ hours .	\$9 87
Samuel Thompson, 20½ hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	10 25
Samuel Thompson, 24 hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	18 00
Samuel Thompson, 11 hours with two horses, at \$0.50 . . . . .	5 50
Samuel Thompson, 12 hours, horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	3 00
Samuel Thompson, 7 hours, horse, at \$0.20 . . . . .	1 40
David Bates, 25 hours, at \$0.20 .	5 00
David Bates, 71½ hours, at \$0.25 .	17 88
M. C. Huntress, 18½ hours, at \$0.20,	3 70
M. C. Huntress, 62½ hours, at \$0.25,	16 63
Edward Bacon, 8 hours, at \$0.20 .	1 60
Edward Bacon, 52½ hours, at \$0.25,	13 13
James Cuneen, 31½ hours, at \$0.20,	6 30
James Cuneen, 93 hours, at \$0.25 .	23 26
Francis Fisher, 6½ hours, at \$0.20,	1 30
Francis Fisher, 47½ hours, at \$0.25,	11 88
Charles Pratt, 3 hours, at \$0.20 .	60
Charles Pratt, 62 hours, at \$0.25 .	15 50
Joseph O. Thompson, 4 hours, at \$0.20 . . . . .	80
Alex. Muse, 11½ hours, at \$0.20 .	2 30
Alex. Muse, 60½ hours, at \$0.25 .	15 13
John Garrity, 4 hours, at \$0.20 .	80
John Garrity, 24 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 00
John Coyle, 9 hours, at \$0.20 .	1 80
John Coyle, 62 hours, at \$0.25 .	15 50
John Coyle, Jr., 40 hours, at \$0.15,	6 00
Thomas Coyle, 3 hours, at \$0.20 .	60
Thomas Coyle, 66½ hours, at \$0.25,	16 62
William Coyle, 3 hours, at \$0.20 .	60
William Coyle, 23 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 75

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## HIGHWAY.

Paid George Bennett, $88\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$2.50,	\$221 62
George Bennett, 58 days, horse, at \$1.75 . . . . .	101 50
George Bennett, $31\frac{3}{4}$ days, 2 horses, at \$3.50 . . . . .	111 11
William Davitt, $83\frac{9}{10}$ days, at \$1.75,	146 02
Martin Huntress, 10 days, at \$1.75,	17 50
Martin Huntress, 10 days, at \$1.75,	17 50
James Cuneen, $83\frac{8}{15}$ days, at \$1.75,	146 18
John Goodrich, 6 days, at \$1.50 .	9 00
Stephen Bicknell, $\frac{3}{4}$ day . . . . .	1 30
B. Grant, 3 days, at \$1.00 . . . . .	3 00
Thomas Bicknell, labor . . . . .	1 00
Joshua Shaw, labor . . . . .	1 75
Henry A. Nash, 108 loads of gravel, at \$0.04 . . . . .	4 32
Samuel Thompson, 180 loads of gravel, at \$0.04 . . . . .	7 20
Francis Cowing, 20 loads of gravel, at \$0.04 . . . . .	80
Mr. Cleverly, 10 loads of oyster shells, at \$0.10 . . . . .	1 00
Martin Goodman, 24 loads of oyster shells, at \$0.10 . . . . .	2 40
D. Blanchard estate, 502 loads gravel, at \$0.04 . . . . .	20 08
Geo. Bennett, labor on sidewalks .	48 39
Geo. Bennett, labor on drain, Green Street . . . . .	60 00
Geo. Bennett, labor on cemetery walk . . . . .	30 00
Geo. Bennett, labor on railing, North Street . . . . .	7 55
Loud & Pratt, lumber for North Street . . . . .	16 86
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe .	8 00

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## DRAIN ON GREEN STREET.

Paid Samuel Thompson, per contract of 1881 .	\$112 35
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## NORTON STREET.

Paid W. T. Shaw, for posts, 1881 .	\$15 50	
Old Colony Railroad, for freight,		
1881 . . . . .	1 54	
Peter F. Hagerty, contract, 1881 .	335 00	
Peter F. Hagerty, contract, 1882 .	350 00	
J. B. Rhines & Co., lumber, 1882 .	13 41	
Bicknell & White, railing, 1882 .	7 60	
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Total in Ward One . . . . .		<hr/> \$1,819 48

## WARD TWO.

## SNOW BILL.

Paid Richard Halnan, 105 hours, at	
\$0.25 . . . . .	\$26 25
Richard Halnan, 8 hours' labor, with	
1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	4 00
Richard Halnan, 90 hours, horse, at	
\$0.25 . . . . .	22 50
Dennis Halnan, 10 hours, at \$0.20	2 00
Dennis Halnan, 99 hours, at \$0.25	24 75
Dennis Halnan, 6 hours with 1	
horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	3 00
Dennis Halnan, 25 hours with horse,	
at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 25
Jacob Raymond, 4½ hours, at \$0.20	90
Jacob Raymond, 37 hours, at \$0.25	9 25
Jerry Connell, 4½ hours, at \$0.20	90
Jerry Connell, 53 hours, at \$0.25 .	13 25
James Mathewson, 85 hours, at	
\$0.25 . . . . .	21 25
James Mathewson, 6½ hours with 1	
horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	3 25

Paid James Mathewson, 79 hours, horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	\$19 75
Emer Mathewson, 1 hour, at \$0.20	20
Emer Mathewson, 87 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	21 75
Minot Mathewson, 18 hours, at \$0.15 . . . . .	2 70
Cornelius Green, 108 hours, at \$0.25	27 00
Cornelius Green, $6\frac{1}{2}$ hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	3 25
Cornelius Green, $96\frac{3}{4}$ hours, with horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	24 44
Timothy Cohen, $6\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.20	1 30
Timothy Cohen, $96\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25	24 13
John Thompson, 33 hours, at \$0.25	8 25
John Thompson, 57 hours, horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	14 25
H. K. Cushing, $15\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25	3 94
H. K. Cushing, 6 hours, 6 horses, at \$1.50 . . . . .	9 00
H. K. Cushing, $8\frac{3}{4}$ hours, 7 horses, at \$1.75 . . . . .	15 31
H. K. Cushing, 1 hour, 4 horses, at \$1.00 . . . . .	1 00
Anthony Green, $8\frac{1}{2}$ hours with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	4 25
George Young, 5 hours with 4 horses, at \$1.25 . . . . .	6 25
George Young, 10 hours, 2 men, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
Press. Woods, $14\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	3 68
Charles Stetson, $10\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25	2 68
Frank Raymond, 6 hours, at \$0.25	1 50
Charles Cushing, 6 hours, at \$0.25	1 50
Patrick Cross, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
John Cross, 18 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 70
James Cross, 18 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 70



Paid M. L. Cushing, $14\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25	\$3 68
Dennis Cohan, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
Michael Tracy, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
Andrew Tracy, 37 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 25
James Tracy, $18\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	4 63
Nathan Goodspeed, 20 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 00
Henry Pratt, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Thomas Porter, $7\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 88
Arthur Powers, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Arthur Hobart, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Elijah Hobart, Jr., 5 hours, at \$0.25	1 25
Herbert Goodspeed, 17 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 25
George McGowen, 9 hours, at \$0.25	2 25
David Lincoln, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
Thomas Coffey, 10 hours, at \$0 15 .	1 50
William Jackson, 47 hours, at \$0.25	11 75
William Jackson, Jr, 10 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
William Welsh, 52 hours, at \$0.25 .	13 00
Carroll Benson, 18 hours, at \$0.25 .	7 00
Abel Benson, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
P. I. Sweeting, 27 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 75
Patrick Healey, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
E. B. Mathewson, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25
Frank Pratt, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
James Higgins, $26\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25,	6 68
Frank Oldham, 15 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 75
Augustus Bailey, 15 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	3 75
Charles H. Quinn, 16 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 00
H. K. Loud, 12 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 00
Herbert Burrell, 33 hours, at \$0.25,	8 25
John Roonen, 33 hours, at \$0.25 .	8 25



Paid Benj. Pratt, 24 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$6 00
William Lovell, 25 hours, at \$0.25,	6 25
W. Denbrøder, 20 hours, at \$0.25,	5 00
Michael Fraher, 30 hours, at \$0.25,	7 50
Thomas Cullen, 10 hours, at \$0.25,	2 50
William McCarty, 25 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 25
Edmund Dwyer, 32 hours, at \$0.25,	8 00
Philip Sullivan, 15 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 75
Michael Fogarty, 16½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 13
Michael Hanley, 11 hours, at \$0.25,	2 75
James Cook, 16½ hours, at \$0.25 .	4 13
Frank Lovell, 15 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 75
Timothy Fogerty, 25 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 25
George H. Hunt, 30 hours, at \$0.25,	7 50
William H. Farrer, 24½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 13
Henry Keay, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
Andrew Bates, 15 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 75
Henry Reed, 7 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 05
Lewis Marden, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Charles Raymond, 7 hours, at \$0.25,	1 75
Amos Raymond, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Herbert Raymond, 4 hours, at \$0.15 . . . . .	60
Samuel Lennal, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
Patrick Carroll, 17 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 25
Job Young, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
William Rice, 11 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 75
John Clark, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
Charles Anderson, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25

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## HIGHWAY.

Paid Richard Halnan, 100 $\frac{1}{6}$ days, with horse, at \$4.25 . . . .	\$425 69	
Richard Halnan, for rake . . . .	65	
Dennis Halnan, 89 days and 4 hours with 1 horse, at \$3.50 . .	312 95	
John Coffey, 96 $\frac{1}{6}$ days, at \$1.75 . .	168 31	
Joseph Deloury, 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75, . .	118 13	
Charles H. Quinn, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75, . .	28 88	
P. Butler, 6 days, at \$1.75 . . . .	10 50	
Frank Lovell, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, at \$1.50 . . . .	75	
J. A. Deloury, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75 . .	6 13	
Thomas Smith, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, at \$1.75 . . . .	88	
Thomas Coffey, 1 day . . . . .	1 00	
Jonathan Salisbury, 660 loads of gravel, at \$0.05 . . . . .	33 00	
Weymouth Iron Co., 136 loads of gravel, at \$0.05 . . . . .	6 80	
Thomas Humphrey, 128 loads of gravel, at \$0.05 . . . . .	6 40	
Patrick Coffey, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75 . .	2 63	
Thomas Harrington, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75, . .	11 38	
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## STATION STREET.

Paid Snell & Smith, stone work . . . .	\$14 50	
E. S. Evans, setting curbstones . . . .	34 20	
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## COTTAGE STREET.

Paid B. F. Richards, stone work . . . .	\$68 86	
R. Halnan, labor . . . . .	116 48	
Q. L. Read, surveying . . . . .	22 80	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe . . . .	43 00	
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## COMMERCIAL STREET.

Paid R. Halnan, for labor . . . . .	\$75 00	
Chas. C. Simmons, for labor . . . . .	34 02	

Paid Richard Halnan, for labor . . .	{ \$261 76	
	{ 311 24	
Barth Farrell, stone work . . .	{ 24 00	
	{ 73 10	
Bela French, labor . . .	61 26	
	<hr/>	\$840 38

## PLEASANT STREET.

Paid B. F. Pratt, setting curbstones . . .	\$6 00	
J. E. Rice, railing . . .	21 95	
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## HIGH STREET.

Paid Richard Halnan, 5½ days, with 1 horse at \$4.25 . . .	\$23 38	
Dennis Halnan, 5½ days, with 1 horse at \$3.50 . . .	19 25	
John Coffey, 5½ days, at \$1.75 . . .	9 63	
Joseph Deloury, 5½ days, at \$1.75 . . .	9 63	
J. A. Deloury 2½ days . . .	4 38	
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## CAIN'S AVENUE.

Paid Richard Halnan, 1 day, with 1 horse, at \$4.25 . . .	\$4 25	
J. Coffey, 1 day, at \$1.75 . . .	1 75	
Dennis Halnan, 1 day, with 1 horse, at \$3.50 . . .	3 50	
Joseph Deloury, 1 day, at \$1.75 . . .	1 75	
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## MADERSON STREET.

Paid Richard Halnan, 8 days, with 1 horse, at \$4.25 . . .	\$34 00	
Richard Halnan, 1 day, with horse, at \$1.75 . . .	1 75	
Dennis Halnan, 9 days, with 1 horse, at \$3.50 . . .	31 50	
John Coffey, 9 days, at \$1.75 . . .	15 75	
J. Deloury, 9 days, at \$1.75 . . .	15 75	
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## BROAD STREET.

Paid Loud & Pratt, lumber . . . .	\$19 48	
J. Vinal, labor . . . .	47 08	
Snell & Smith, blasting . . . .	119 75	
B. F. Richards, bridge . . . .	35 00	
J. B. Ford, labor . . . .	40 22	
	<hr/>	\$261 53

## MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES, WARD TWO.

Paid B. F. Richards, setting curbstones	\$21 30	
B. F. Richards, setting curbstones .	50 00	
O. C. R. R., freight . . . .	2 59	
O. C. R. R., freight . . . .	1 93	
O. C. R. R., freight . . . .	1 87	
O. C. R. R., freight . . . .	5 50	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe .	26 20	
R. Holnan, labor . . . .	26 00	
W. E. Mitchell, labor . . . .	1 75	
J. C. Matherson, damage to land .	10 00	
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Total for Ward Two . . . .		<hr/> \$2,887 19

## WARD THREE.

## SNOW BILL.

Paid John R. H. Williams, 146 hours, at \$0.25 . . . .	\$36 50
John H. R. Williams, repairing plough . . . .	50
John Connor, 48 hours, at \$0.25 .	12 00
John Connor, 34 hours, with one horse, at \$0.50 . . . .	17 00
John Connor, 10 hours, with horse, at \$0.25 . . . .	2 50
Charles Connor, 11½ hours, at \$0.20	2 30
Charles Connor, 38 hours, at \$0.25,	9 50
John Ford, 50½ hours, at \$0.25 .	12 62



Paid John Ford 18½ hours, with two horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	\$13 88
John Ford, 19 hours, with one horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	9 50
John Ford, 8 hours, with one horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 00
L. C. Williams, 10 hours, at \$0.20, . . . . .	2 00
L. C. Williams, 91 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	22 75
E. Bourk, 2 men, with four horses and sled . . . . .	5 00
E. Bourk, 2 men, with six horses and sled . . . . .	8 00
William Trask, 15 hours, with one horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	7 50
William Trask, 20 hours, with one horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 00
Timothy Cleary, 4 hours, at \$0.20 . . . . .	80
Timothy Cleary, 21½ hours, with horse, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 37
John Duryer, 6 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 50
Clarence Williams, 7 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 75
W. Sanborn, 8 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 00
P. Kenney, 3 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	75
Owen Connor, 32½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
M. Tracy, 3½ hours, at \$0.20. . . . .	70
M. Tracy, 10 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
T. South, sharpening pick . . . . .	10
Martin Shine, 32½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
Patrick Moriarty, 33 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 25
Garrett Fitzgerald, 32½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
Andy Coleman, 7½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 87
Michael Cleary, 27½ hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	6 87
Timothy Cohen, 32½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12

Paid John Stack, 47 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$11 75
Thomas Shea, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 87
Patrick Curran, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25,	6 87
Maurice Fitzgerald, $37\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	9 38
Patrick Cohen, $35\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	8 87
William Coyle, $17\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	4 37
Joseph Langford, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
John Griffin, 43 hours, at \$0.25 .	10 75
Patrick Griffin, $17\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 37
Eddie Condrick, $22\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 62
John F. Griffin, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 87
Maurice Kennedy, $32\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
John Curran, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 87
John Curran, Jr., $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 87
Patrick Curran, 2d, $22\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 62
John Lines, $21\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	5 37
John Sullivan, $27\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 87
John Nelligan, $44\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25,	11 12
James Hayes, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
M. McCenn, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Daniel Cohen, $35\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	8 87
Bradford Howard, 10 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
John Fogerty, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
J. E. Trask, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Daniel Donovan, 33 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 25
Patrick Burns, 33 hours, at \$0.25 .	8 25
Cornelius Connell, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25

Paid William Condrick, 6 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	\$1 50
Timothy Bresnahan, 23 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 75
John Hassett, 30 hours, at \$0.25 .	7 50
Michael Kelley, 21 hours, at \$.25 .	5 25
James Tracy, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Patrick Quinn, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Patrick Gately, 23 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 75
Thomas Ahern, at $32\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
Michael Griffin, $37\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	9 37
Thomas Griffin, $7\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 88
P. Eddie Condrick, $22\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 62
Cornelius Cohen, $32\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	8 12
Thomas Ash, $22\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	5 62
Mr. Whittimore, 7 hours . . . .	1 75
George Langford, 15 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	3 75
Peter Langford, 16 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 00
William Cary, 22 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 50
Henry Carr, 33 hours, at \$0 25 .	8 25
E. E. Richards, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Patrick Callahan, $17\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 37
George Bronson, $11\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 87
John Connor, 2d, $7\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 87
Mr. Armington, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Patrick Gloster, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
Ed. Crotty, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
Nahum Curtis, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
William Hayes, $17\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 37



Paid James B. Ford, 12 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	\$6 00	
Repairing snow plough . . . . .	1 50	
William Ford, 4 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	2 00	
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## HIGHWAY.

Paid James Ford, with horses . . . . .	\$568 46½	
James Hayes, 112 days and 1 hour, at \$1.75 . . . . .	196 17½	
Thomas Ahearn, 51 days and 4 hours, at \$1.75 . . . . .	89 95	
William Ford, 65 days and 1½ hours, at \$1.75 . . . . .	114 00	
Cornelius Keohan, 22 days and 8 hours, at \$1.75 . . . . .	39 90	
John Nelligan, 14 days and 2 hours, at \$1.75 . . . . .	24 85	
John Stack, 13 days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	22 75	
Garrett Fitzgerald, 9 days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	15 75	
Justin Wright, 7 days and 1 hour, at \$2.50 . . . . .	17 75	
Patrick Callahan, 5½ days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	9 62½	
Patrick Moriarty, 2½ days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	4 37½	
James White, 1½ days, at \$1.00 . . . . .	1 50	
Samuel Cushing, 6 days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	10 50	
Judah Loring, 2 days, at \$2.50 . . . . .	5 00	
George Ford, 1 day . . . . .	50	
Thomas Tooel, 1 day, at \$1.75 . . . . .	1 75	
Henry Ford, 1 day, at \$1.00 . . . . .	1 00	
George Bicknell, 12 loads of ashes, at \$0.15 . . . . .	1 80	
Alden Richards, 427 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	25 62	
Cornelius Green, 517 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	31 02	
Henry Richards, 243 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	14 58	



Paid Caleb Stetson, 50 loads of gravel,		
at \$0.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ . . . . .	\$6 25	
Samuel King, covering stone . . .	2 00	
Benjamin White, stone for cesspool	1 50	
William Kennedy, sharpening tools	4 35	
Thomas South, sharpening tools . .	10	
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## SUMMER STREET.

Paid Augustus J. Richards, land damage	\$150 00	
Francis Tirrell, land damage . . .	20 00	
George Nash, land damage . . . .	5 00	
Francis Hunt, land damage . . . .	10 00	
Nathaniel Chandler, land damage . .	71 25	
Robert V. Barnes, land damage . . .	12 50	
Francis Richards, land damage . . .	65 00	
James Hollis, land damage . . . .	22 50	
Quincy L. Read, surveying . . . .	45 70	
M. Flynn, contract of 1881 . . . .	1,673 91	
J. B. Ford, for labor . . . . .	32 80	
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## VINE STREET.

Paid N. L. White, land damage . . .	\$210 00	
Sarah Binney, land damage . . . .	141 00	
John Phillips, per contract . . . .	480 00	
J. B. Ford, for labor . . . . .	88 81	
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## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid T. Clary, repairing drain, Summer		
Street . . . . .	\$1 00	
W. G. Nash, powder . . . . .	3 90	
Albert Vinton, labor . . . . .	5 00	
Thomas South, labor . . . . .	4 64	
J. E. Wright, blasting . . . . .	50 50	
Judah Loring, blasting . . . . .	34 00	
Clinton Pope, labor . . . . .	1 50	
J. B. Ford, labor, Norfolk Street . .	19 06	
J. E. Wright, labor . . . . .	8 01	

Paid J. B. Ford, labor . . . . .	\$36 49	
J. B. Rhines & Co., lumber . . . .	4 33	
J. R. H. Williams, labor . . . . .	2 50	
J. Ward, blasting, Stetson Street .	50 00	
37. Thomas South, grate, Stetson Square . . . . .	2 32	
J. E. Wright, labor . . . . .	34 37	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe .	12 01	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe .	67 94	
W. K. Baker, freight . . . . .	3 75	
J. B. Ford, labor . . . . .	11 78	
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Total in Ward Three . . . . .		\$4,592 63

## WARD FOUR.

## SNOW BILL.

Paid James Moore, 48 hours . . . .	\$12 02
James Moore, 35 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	17 50
James Moore, 26 hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	19 50
Naaman Cobb, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Naaman Cobb, 44 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	22 00
Naaman Cobb, 17 hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	12 75
Thomas J. Nash, 25½ hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	12 75
Thomas J. Nash, 8 hours, at \$0.25,	2 00
Thomas J. Nash, 1 horse, 8 hours, at \$0.65 . . . . .	2 00
Edward Nolan, 45 hours, at \$0.25	11 25
Edward Nolan, 17 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	8 50
Peter Sullivan, 38 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 50
Daniel Sullivan, 38 hours, \$0.25 .	9 50

Paid John Daley, 37 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$9 25
Edson H. Raymond, 23 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 75
Richmond Holbrook, 19 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 75
John Campbell, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
William Sullivan, 8½ hours, at \$0.15	1 28
Jerry Sullivan, 2 hours, at \$0.15 .	30
Louis Moore, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Jerry Leahy, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Joseph Riley, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Elliott Vining, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Sumner Holbrook, 2 hours, \$0.25 .	50
Otis Torrey, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Frank Burke, 1 hour, at \$0.15 .	15
Robert Barnes, 3 hours, \$0.25 .	75
Albert Barnes, 4 hours, at \$0.15 .	60
Loring Pratt, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Lorenzo Pool, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
Russell Shaw, 7½ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 87
Robert Richards, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Charles Richards, 7 hours, at \$0.15	1 05
George Shaw, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
John Healey, 9 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 35
Willie Burke, 9 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 35
Timothy Callihan, 32 hours, at \$0.15 . . . . .	4 80
Henry Loud, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
Fred Pratt, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Frank Dowd, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
A. H. Belcher, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
Charles Lloyd, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
Fred Torrey, 3 hours, at \$0.15 .	45
Fred Moore, 8 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 20
Allen Vining, 19 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 75
Adoniram Vining, 19 hours, at \$0.25,	4 75
J. McManus, 23 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 75



Paid John Croker, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$5 00
William Croker, 13 hours, at \$0.25,	3 25
Thomas Brassill, 12 hours, at \$0.25,	3 00
Patrick Purcell, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Walter Hunt, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
Frederick Shepherd, 10 hours at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
Philip Ryan, 42 hours, at \$0.25 .	10 50
James Burke, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
Frank Pool, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
John Green, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
Wm. McCormick, 19½ hours, at \$0.25,	4 87
Daniel Shaw, 19 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 75
Thos. Louergen, 18 hours, at \$0.25,	4 50
Edward Howley, 15 hours, at \$0.25,	3 75
O. C. Prouty, 12 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 00
Henry Walker, 4½ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 13
Everett Pratt, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
John Martin, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
James Sheehy, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
John French, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Frank Sheehy, 8½ hours, at \$0.25 .	2 12
Nat. Hall, 11 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 75
John O'Brien, 10 hours at \$0.25 .	2 50
James Buss, 13 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 25
Stephen Webb, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Henry Shaw, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
Charles Wright, 17 hours, at \$0.25,	4 25
Thomas Quinn, 39 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 75
Charles H. Tisdale, 5 hrs., at \$0.25,	1 25
Chas. Randall, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
Michael Flynn, 16 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 00
Philip Frabar, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
Jas. C. Wendell, 7 hours, at \$0.25,	1 75
Thomas Burke, 30 hours, at \$0.12 .	3 60
Albert Davidson, 10 hours, at \$0.12,	1 20
Hugh Martin, 7 hours, at \$0.12 .	84



Paid Frank Burke, 4 hours, at \$0.12 .	\$ 48
Henry Burke, 4 hours, at \$0.12 .	48
Chapin Tisdale, 5 hours, at \$0.12 .	60
Edward Wright, 17 hours, at \$0.12,	2 04
J. M. Richards, 28½ hours, at \$0.25,	7 12
Otis Cushing, 8 hrs., horse, at \$0.25,	2 00
J. J. Desmond, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Daniel Connor, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Leonard Gardner, 32 hrs., at \$0.25,	8 00
James Denward, 19 hours, at \$0.25	4 75
Charles Nolan, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
Arthur Connor, 40 hours, at \$0.25,	10 00
Michael Whelan, 52 hrs., at \$0.25,	13 00
Chas. C. Gerrold, 42½ hrs., at \$0.25,	10 62
Willie D. Coughlan, 4 hrs., at \$0.12,	48
Patrick Murray, 24 hours, at \$0.25,	6 00
Robert Saunders, 18 hrs., at \$0.25,	4 50
Geo. Saunders, 16 hours, at \$0.12,	1 92
Warren Nadell, 10 hours, at \$0.25,	2 50
Michael Logue, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
Henry Coughlan, 7 hours, at \$0.15,	1 05
Elbridge Tirrell, 2 hours, at \$0.12 .	24
Ernest Ager, 2 hours, at \$0.12 .	24
John Trafton, 20 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 00
Solomon Wright, 21 hrs., at \$0.25,	5 25
Elroy Baldwin, 10 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 50
George Loud, 5½ hours, at \$0.12 .	66
Patrick O'Donnell, 16½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 12
Loring Tirrell, 3 hours, at \$0.25 .	75
John Bouldry, 39 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 75
Reuben Loud, Jr, 16 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	4 00
Matthew Loud, 14 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 25
Richard Halleran, 6 hours, at \$0.25,	1 50
Samuel Estes, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
George Sherman, 4½ hours, at \$0.25,	1 12

Paid Joseph E. Gardner, $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	\$1 12	
John Burke, 8 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 00	
John Roche, $12\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	3 12	
William Roche, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 25	
Thomas Roche, $8\frac{1}{2}$ hours . . . . .	1 28	
Andrew Roche, 8 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 00	
Thomas Barnard, 25 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	6 25	
William Keene, 17 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	4 25	
Martin Reed, $9\frac{3}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 42	
Elmer Thayer, 8 hours, at \$0.15 . . . . .	1 20	
J. F. Gilligan, 30 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	7 50	
Willie Burke, 2 hours, at \$0.12 . . . . .	24	
Nathaniel R. Ells, 15 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	3 75	
S. J. Ross, 20 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 00	
Augustus Ross, 42 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	10 50	
Joseph Ross, 15 hours, at \$0.12 . . . . .	1 80	
John Desmond, 27 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 75	
Daniel Desmond, 9 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	2 25	
Frank Desmond, 4 hours, at \$0.12, . . . . .	48	
Frank Gilligan, 33 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	8 25	
John Seabury, 27 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	6 75	
Matthew Reed, 19 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	4 75	
William McGinnis, 10 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50	
Hugh McGinnis, 25 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	6 25	
Joseph Murray, 5 hours, at \$0.12 . . . . .	60	
Edward P. Tirrell, 28 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	7 00	
Cassius Tirrell, $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	62	
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## HIGHWAY.

Paid James Moore, 115 days, with 2 horses, at \$6.00 . . . . .	\$690 0
James Moore, $28\frac{1}{4}$ days, with 1 horse, at \$4.15 . . . . .	120 05

Paid James Moore, 2 days with horse, at \$1.75 . . . . .	\$3 50	
Louis Moore, 28 days, at \$1.75 .	49 00	
William Roche, 40 days, at \$1.25 .	49 99	
William Roche, 13 days, at \$1.37 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 87	
Patrick Mahoney, 137 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1.75 . . . . .	241 10	
John Croker, 92 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1.50 .	139 12	
Michael Leary, 14 days, at \$1.50 .	21 00	
Michael Leary, 18 days, at \$1.62 .	29 16	
Michael Leary, 80 $\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1.75 .	141 31	
Michael Whelan, 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.50,	30 75	
Samuel Derusha, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75,	6 12	
Fred Moore, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.50 .	3 50	
Washington Pratt & Son, stone .	4 50	
John Reidy, repairing tools . .	9 01	
John Roche, lighting Park Avenue	1 25	
Frank Dowd, lighting bridge . .	75	
Jothan Salisbury, 610 loads of gravel, at \$0.05 . . . . .	30 50	
Stephen Thayer, 173 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	10 38	
Benjamin Ells, railing Mill Street	9 31	
O. Cushing, freighting drain pipe .	15 41	
Loud & Pratt, lumber . . . . .	12 76	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe .	49 92	
W. G. Nash, powder . . . . .	12 60	
George A. Cushing . . . . .	8 60	
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Credit by loan and labor . . . .		30 45
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Paid J. Harding, repair of snow plough . . . .		2 00
Conant, posts Mill Street . . . .		5 70
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Total in Ward Four . . . . .		\$1,684 71



## WARD FIVE.

## SNOW BILL.

Paid B. F. Whitman, 6 hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	\$4 50
B. F. Whitman, 155½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	38 87½
Otis Cushing, 11 hours, 2 men, with 6 horses . . . . .	22 00
Otis Cushing, 6 hours, with 2 horses, . . . . .	3 00
Otis Cushing 1 man, with 4 horses . . . . .	6 00
Otis Cushing, 3½ hours, 4 men, with 6 horses . . . . .	8 75
Otis Cushing, 10 hours, 2 men, with 4 horses . . . . .	15 00
Otis Cushing, 10 hours, 2 men, with 6 horses . . . . .	20 00
Otis Cushing, 5 hours, with 2 horses, . . . . .	2 50
Otis Cushing, 1 man, with 2 horses, . . . . .	2 00
Wilbur Loud, 18¼ hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	13 55
Wilbur Loud, 11 hours, with horse . . . . .	2 75
Wilbur Loud, 1 hour, with 2 horses, . . . . .	50
Wilbur Loud, 12 hours, with 1 horse, at \$0.50 . . . . .	6 00
Wilbur Loud, 6 hours, 1 man and boy, with 4 horses . . . . .	8 40
Eli Estes, 7 hours, with 2 horses, at \$0.75 . . . . .	5 25
Clarence Estes, 94 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	23 50
Herbert Estes, 44 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	11 00
John Smith, 9 hours, at \$0.20 . . . . .	1 80
John Smith, 119 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	29 75
Patrick Mahoney, 2 hours, at \$0.20, . . . . .	40
Patrick Mahoney, 82½ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	20 62½



Paid H. Blanchard, 30 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$7 50
Stephen Donahoe, 10 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	2 50
John McGuire, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
James Smith, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
A. Stoddard, 2½ hours, at \$0.25 .	62
M. McCormick, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
Edward Halligan, 10 hours, at \$0.25, . . . . .	2 50
Charles Bosworth, 62 hours at \$0.25 . . . . .	15 50
Charles Shaw, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
Abner Paine, 16 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 00
Benj. Orcutt, 19 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 75
Daniel Healey, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
Robert Healey, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
W. J. Pedman, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Everett Cushing, 8 hours, at \$0.25,	2 00
Everett Gardner, 9 hours, at \$0.25,	2 25
Owen Dailey, 14 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 50
Daniel McAuliff, 37 hours, at \$0.25,	9 25
Philip Walsh, 27 hours, at \$0.15 .	4 05
Lorenzo Belcher, 27 hours, at \$0.25,	6 75
Pliny Belcher, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
George Maguire, 13 hours, at \$0.15,	1 95
H. O. Carroll, 18 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 50
L. Carroll, 21 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 25
John O'Mera, 92 hours, at \$0.25 .	23 00
Nathan Reed, 19 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 75
C. Early, 46 hours, at \$0.25 . . .	11 50
Frank Phillips, 37 hours, at \$0.25,	9 25
W. J. Rice, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
Fred Davis, 25 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 25
Quincy Poole, 31 hours, at \$0.25 .	7 75
W. Thayer, 10 hours, at \$0 15 .	1 50
Patrick Calnan, 10 hours, at \$0.15,	1 50
W. Simpson, 4 hours, at \$0.15 .	60

Paid Benj. Derby, 24 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$6 00
Henry Derby, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
Bradford Gay, 17½ hours, at \$0.25,	4 37½
Wm. Green, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
John Flynn, 16 hours, at \$0.15 .	2 40
G. W. Healy, 10 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 50
Howard Belcher, 10 hours, at \$0.15,	1 50
Jesse Davis, 27 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 75
Howard Shaw, 4 hours, at \$0.15 .	60
Ernest Cushing, 20 hours, at \$0.25,	5 00
Peter Healy, 15 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 75
John Healey, 13 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 95
Jerry Sullivan, 33 hours, at \$0.25 .	8 25
Edward Welch, 30 hours, at \$0.25,	7 50
Daniel Whelan, 22 hours, at \$0.15,	3 30
J. T. Ford, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Daniel Gilligan, 17 hours, at \$0.25,	4 25
Chas. E. Cushing, 16 hours, at \$0.25,	4 00
Daniel Meagher, 20 hours, at \$0.25,	5 00
E. S. Raymond, 39 hours, at \$0.25,	9 75
Peter Marlowe, 18 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 50
James Walsh, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 50
Henry Whitman, 4 hours, at \$0.25,	1 00
Fred Thayer, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Samuel Emery, 11¾ hours, at \$0.25,	2 94
Geo. Raymond, 4½ hours, at \$0.15,	67
Calvin Packard, 24 hours, at \$0.25,	6 00
Frank Thomas, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
Nath'l Derby, 3½ hours, at \$0.25 .	87½
Ira Derby, 13 hours, at \$0.25 .	3 25
John F. Welsh, 7 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 75
George Pratt, 24½ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 12
John Hogan, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
Irving Loud, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50
Henry Lawler, 4 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 00
Irving Shores, 8½ hours, at \$0.15 .	1 28
M. Leary, 41½ hours, at \$0.25 .	10 37

Paid Henry F. Pratt, 14 hours, at \$0.25 .	\$3 50
Melvin Bates, 26½ hours, at \$0.25 .	6 63
Charles Vose, 30 hours, at \$0.25 .	7 50
E. L. Wright, 22 hours, at \$0.25 .	5 50
Thomas Gavin, 36 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 00
John Nolan, 27 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 75
William Bates, 9 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 35
A. H. Belcher, 28 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 50
John Cullinan, 4 hours, at \$0.15 .	60
Charles H. Gilligan, 21 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	5 25
R. F. Madden, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
E. Loud, 30 hours, at \$0.25 . . .	9 75
Patrick Flynn, 30 hours, at \$0.25 .	9 75
John Sullivan, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25
John Sullivan, 9 hours, at \$0.15 .	1 35
William Healy, 43 hours, at \$0.25 .	10 75
P. J. Healy, 14 hours, at \$0.15 .	2 10
J. F. Lynch, 8 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 00
C. J. Gavin, 19 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 75
C. H. Wood, 10 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 50
G. W. Healy, 18 hours, at \$0.15 .	2 70
Richard Smith, 17 hours, at \$0.15 .	2 55
Rodney Torrey, 24 hours, at \$0.25 .	6 00
L. Davis, 5 hours, at \$0.25 . . . .	1 25
Patrick Purcell, 6 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25
C. H. Allen, 15½ hours, at \$0.25 .	3 87½
George Davis, 30 hours, at \$0.25 .	7 50
Charles Clapp, 16 hours, at \$0.25 .	4 00
John Shores, 18½ hours, at \$0.25 .	4 62½
Francis Moneghan, 14 hours, at \$0.25,	3 50
Stephen Moneghan, 35 hrs., at \$0.25,	8 75
Lewis Paori, 44 hours, at \$0.25 .	11 00
J. Delory, 44 hours, at \$0.25 .	11 00
S. Sargent, 15 hours, at \$0 25 .	3 75
Fred Churchili, 35 hours, at \$0.25 .	8 75
Albert Hutchinson, 28 hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	7 00



Paid Howard Baker, $6\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	\$1 62 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Jared Vining, 9 hours, at \$0.25 .	2 25	
Samuel Turner, $5\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 .	1 37 $\frac{1}{2}$	
George B. Turner, $5\frac{1}{2}$ hours, at \$0.25 . . . . .	1 37 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Joseph F. Turner, $4\frac{1}{4}$ hours, at \$0.25,	1 06	
Webster Turner, 2 hours, at \$0.25 .	50	
Elton F. Gay, 5 hours, at \$0.25 .	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$722 46

## HIGHWAY.

Paid Benj. F. Whitman, $65\frac{1}{2}$ days, with 2 horses, at \$6.00 . . . . .	\$393 00	
Benj. F. Whitman, 38 days and 4 hours, 2 horses, at \$3.50 . . . . .	134 40	
Benj. F. Whitman, $18\frac{1}{2}$ days, and 9 hours, 1 horse, at 1.75 . . . . .	33 94	
Benj. F. Whitman, 51 days and 7 hours, at \$2.50 . . . . .	129 25	
John Smith, $133\frac{7}{10}$ days, at \$1.75 .	233 97 $\frac{1}{2}$	
James O'Meara, $31\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75 .	55 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	
John Green, $89\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.50 .	134 25	
M. Whelan, 2 days . . . . .	2 75	
Frank Thomas, 5 days, at \$1.50 .	7 50	
Richard Smith, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.00 .	5 50	
Charles Raymond, 35 days, at \$1.50 . . . . .	52 50	
Philip Welch, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.25 .	5 62 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Ludo Holbrook, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.00 .	4 50	
Benj. Burrell, 2 days, at \$1.50 .	3 00	
F. W. Loud, 12 hours, 2 horses, at \$0.30 . . . . .	3 60	
F. W. Loud, gravelling Central Street, as per contract . . . . .	89 60	
C. H. Whitman, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.50 .	8 25	
George McGuire, 4 days, at \$1.00 .	4 00	
Otis Cushing, 5 days, 1 horse, at \$1.50 . . . . .	7 50	



Paid Otis Cushing, freighting drain pipe .	\$5 40	
Edward Nolan, 375 loads of gravel, at \$0.08 . . . . .	30 00	
Oran Bates, 58 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	3 48	
Mr. Elliott, 780 loads of gravel, at \$0.04 . . . . .	31 20	
Mr. Slattery, 109 loads of gravel, at \$0.05 . . . . .	5 45	
Mr. Slattery, 73 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	4 38	
Oliver Freeman, 24 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	1 44	
Elon Sherman, 36 loads of gravel, at \$0.06 . . . . .	2 16	
N. B. Derby, 65 loads of gravel, at \$0.08 . . . . .	5 20	
John Reidy, repairing tools . . . . .	4 10	
Daniel Riley, curbstone, etc. . . . .	69 93	
G. W. Conant, iron pipe . . . . .	6 47	
W. Burrell, grading sidewalk . . . . .	4 00	
Marcellus Day & Co., drain pipe . . . . .	25 60	
A. J. Simpson, guide boards . . . . .	5 00	
Jacob Baker, for privilege of drain- ing . . . . .	30 00	
Jacob Baker, for lumber for bridge . . . . .	1 50	
Franklin F. Blanchard, for trim- ming trees . . . . .	1 00	
Daniel Riley, retaining wall, Pond Street . . . . .	16 30	
J. W. Conant, repairing scraper . . . . .	17 82	
J. W. Conant, posts, Derby Street . . . . .	19 52	
Total amount highways Ward Five . . . . .		\$1,598 21

## LAND DAMAGES.

Paid Nathan Goodspeed, on High Street,	\$56 25	
Jos. H. Burrell, on Cottage Street .	70 00	
Mrs. Dempsey, on Cains Avenue .	8 00	
R. E. Hunt and wife, on Sterling Street . . . . .	600 00	
E. and N. Thomas, on Pearl Street,	25 00	
Spencer & Gordon, on Norton St.	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$764 25

## HINGHAM AND QUINCY BRIDGES.

Paid Trustees . . . . .	\$600 00
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## RECAPITULATION.

## TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR REPAIRS ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Ward 1 . . . . .	\$1,819 48
Ward 1, snow bills . . . . .	756 16
Ward 2 . . . . .	2,887 19
Ward 2, snow bills . . . . .	590 49
Ward 3 . . . . .	4,592 63
Ward 3, snow bills . . . . .	533 38
Ward 4 . . . . .	1,684 71
Ward 4, snow bills . . . . .	556 98
Ward 5 . . . . .	1,598 21
Ward 5, snow bills . . . . .	722 46
Hingham and Quincy Bridges . . . . .	600 00
Land damage . . . . .	764 25
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Total . . . . .	\$17,105 94

## TOWN HOUSE.

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Paid W. Nash, saw-dust	.	.	.	.	.	\$ 75
J. C. Wendall, janitor	.	.	.	.	.	139 25
W. Nash, incidentals	.	.	.	.	.	9 57
S. W. King, repairs sheds	.	.	.	.	.	29 25
Loud & Pratt, lumber	.	.	.	.	.	23 45
S. Estes, labor	.	.	.	.	.	27 15
Eli Estès, labor	.	.	.	.	.	57 12
S. W. Pratt, repairs	.	.	.	.	.	24 82
J. B. Rhines & Co., lumber	.	.	.	.	.	4 90
S. W. King, repairs	.	.	.	.	.	3 48
T. South, iron work	.	.	.	.	.	7 00
Portland Stoneware Company	.	.	.	.	.	27 23
Geo. S. Baker, hardware	.	.	.	.	.	8 28
J. C. Wendall, setting glass	.	.	.	.	.	4 50
W. G. Nash, incidentals	.	.	.	.	.	13 64
Loud & Pratt, lumber	.	.	.	.	.	34 64
W. C. Austin, coal, wood, and carting	.	.	.	.	.	27 81
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						\$442 84

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## LOCK-UPS.

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Paid J. Farrington, care of Ward 5	.	.	.	.	\$25 00
Oliver Burrill, labor, Ward 2	.	.	.	.	8 53
J. T. Pease, Ward 3	.	.	.	.	11 75
W. F. French, use of lock-up, Quincy	.	.	.	.	6 00
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					\$51 28

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## WATER SUPPLY.

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Paid Otis Cushing, carriage	.	.	.	.	\$4 95
Noah Vining, service as committee	.	.	.	.	19 80
M. M. Tidd, service	.	.	.	.	200 00
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					\$224 75

## TUFTS LIBRARY.

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Paid A. S. White, treasurer . . . . .	\$1,500 00
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## COMMITTEE FOR THE EXAMINATION OF TOWN ACCOUNTS.

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Paid Oliver Houghton, fares for Piper . . . . .	\$20 50
H. A. Piper, services . . . . .	468 73
J. C. Wendall, dinners . . . . .	20 75
	\$509 98

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## TOWN PUMPS AND WELLS.

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Paid S. W. Pratt, repairing pumps . . . . .	\$14 39
J. I. Bates, repairing pumps . . . . .	2 25
P. Wales & Son, repairing pumps . . . . .	15 00
Geo. Bennett, work on well . . . . .	34 56
Bicknell White, platform for well . . . . .	3 00
	\$69 20

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## POLICE.

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Paid James T. Pease, services . . . . .	\$702 46
Geo. W. Mitchell, services . . . . .	247 00
L. H. Loud, services . . . . .	97 94
Edwin Thomas, 2d, services . . . . .	31 00
Asa B. Pratt, services . . . . .	292 60
Thos. Purcell, services . . . . .	2 50
Oliver Houghton, services . . . . .	41 50
Geo. F. Maynard, services . . . . .	112 50
Geo. F. Cushing, services . . . . .	2 50
E. S. Sutton, services . . . . .	14 00
N. B. Peare, services . . . . .	207 09



Paid Wilmot Cleverly, services	.	.	.	.	\$3 33
Geo. W. White, services	.	.	.	.	10 00
Noble Morse, services	.	.	.	.	3 50
C. Franklin Blanchard, services	.	.	.	.	3 00
F. B. Vinson, services	.	.	.	.	57 00
J. Sullivan, services	.	.	.	.	57 50
Geo. W. Tirrell, services	.	.	.	.	6 00
Isaac N. Tirrell, services	.	.	.	.	26 00
Nelson Gardner, services	.	.	.	.	38 50
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					\$1,955 92

### PRINTING.

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Paid C. F. David, printing and advertising	.	.			\$28 08
Alfred Mudge & Son, printing	.	.	.	.	424 35
Chas. E. Esterbrook, advertising and printing	.	.	.	.	195 75
A. O. Crawford, printing	.	.	.	.	1 50
Spooner, advertising	.	.	.	.	15 00
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					\$664 68

## TOWN OFFICERS.

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### SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR.

#### FOR SERVICES AND EXPENSES.

Paid Thomas H. Humphrey, for 1881	.	\$124 04	
Thomas H. Humphrey, for 1882	.	250 00	
Jacob Baker, for 1882	. . .	64 62	
J. R. Orcutt, for 1881	. . .	11 74	
J. R. Orcutt, for 1882	. . .	42 00	
William Nash, for 1882	. . .	279 03	
George A. Cushing, for 1882	. . .	383 15	
Henry A. Nash, for 1882	. . .	100 00	
Noah Vining, for 1882	. . .	251 80	
Augustus J. Richards, for 1882	. . .	95 26	
		<hr/>	\$1,601 64

### ASSESSORS.

#### SERVICES AND EXPENSES.

Paid Wilmot Cleverly, for 1882	. . .	\$247 50	
John P. Burrill, for 1882	. . .	249 00	
George A. Cushing, for 1881	. . .	16 55	
George A. Cushing, for 1882	. . .	250 25	
Leonard Gardner, for 1882	. . .	218 00	
Noah Vining, for 1882	. . .	171 85	
Jacob Baker, for 1882	. . .	13 50	
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### TOWN CLERK.

Paid J. A. Raymond, services as clerk	.	\$40 00	
for collecting, recording, and in-			
dexing marriages, births, and			
deaths	. . . . .	162 20	
for 182 burial permits	. . .	18 20	
for election service	. . .	2 00	

Paid J. A. Raymond, office expenses, for stationery, and postage . . .	\$18 10	
	<hr/>	\$240 50

## TOWN TREASURER.

Paid Oran White, for services, for 1881 .	\$266 56	
Oran White, for services, for 1882,	208 33	
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## COLLECTOR.

Paid Elias Richards, for services . . .	\$375 36	
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## AUDITORS.

Paid Elias Richards, for services . . .	\$17 00	
Elias C. Beals, for services . . .	14 00	
T. Dexter Pratt, for services . . .	6 00	
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## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Paid Leonard Gardner . . . . .	\$104 50	
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Total . . . . .		\$4,000 54

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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid James F. McCue, injury sustained on Broad Street . . . . .	\$325 00
R. N. Prouty, injury sustained on Lake Street .	150 00
Alfred T. Cushing, injury sustained on Bridge Street . . . . .	50 00
J. F. Lee, damage to carriage, O. C. R. R. crossing . . . . .	100 00
Elbridge Nash, Decoration Day . . . . .	300 00
G. F. King, paper for town clerk . . . . .	3 00
W. K. Baker, expressing . . . . .	5 30
Calvin Packard, distributing town reports .	3 00

Paid Denis Halnan, distributing town reports . .	\$5 00
E. Billings, distributing town reports . .	3 00
J. R. H. Williams, distributing town reports . .	4 50
Litchfield, distributing town reports . .	3 00
Geo. W. Mitchell, food for prisoners . .	1 00
J. C. Wendall, refreshments town officers . .	9 00
Frank W. Lewis, moderator . . . .	10 00
W. C. B. Fifield, M.D., McCue case . .	50 00
King & Merrill, book . . . .	14 00
Henry Newton, care soldiers' monument . .	30 00
J. C. Wendall, refreshments town officers . .	3 50
G. Dickerman, boxes for treasurer . . . .	3 00
Thos. Groom, collector's books . . . .	8 50
Heirs John Bates, land damage, paid to North Weymouth Cemetery Association . . . .	25 00
J. C. Wendall, arbiters' refts. in Prouty's case . .	8 00
W. K. Baker, expressing . . . .	30 70
Henry A. Noyes, John Adams, and Charles Beard, arbiters in Prouty case . . . .	50 00
Elias Richards, selling Perkins School-house, and returning tax list . . . .	24 50
W. N. Cushing, dinners county commissioners . .	5 00
Ford & McCommick, returning deaths . . . .	9 50
W. B. Lougee, returning deaths . . . .	4 00
J. E. Rice & Sons, returning deaths . . . .	9 00
Samuel Curtis, returning deaths . . . .	16 75
Oliver Houghton . . . .	1 00
Frank W. Lewis, in Prouty case . . . .	10 00
E. C. Bumpus, legal advice . . . .	60 00
J. E. Rice, railing Commercial Street . . . .	24 82
Otis Cushing, carriage . . . .	10 00
Otis Cushing, carriage, water committee . . . .	4 00
Otis Cushing, expressing . . . .	1 00
J. C. Wendall, refreshments town officers . .	18 00
O. C. R. R., freight on road scraper . . . .	8 95

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## REMITTANCES ON TAXES, 1882.

On tax of 1876	.	.	.	.	.	\$13 16	
On tax of 1877	.	.	.	.	.	17 13	
On tax of 1878	.	.	.	.	.	2 00	
On tax of 1879	.	.	.	.	.	9 48	
On tax of 1880	.	.	.	.	.	38 73	
On tax of 1881	.	.	.	.	.	433 39	
On tax of 1882	.	.	.	.	.	6 31	
On tax of 1882	.	.	.	.	.	58 20	
						<hr/>	\$578 40
Abatement tax, estate of T. J. Dunbar	.	.	.	.	.		265 66
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							\$844 06

## DISCOUNT.

Wilmot Cleverly, on taxes	.	.	.	.	.	\$2,895 60
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INTEREST PAID.

Geo. Meyer, on note, \$5,000 . . .	\$200 00
E. R. Price, treas.. on note, \$5,000 .	200 00
W. W. Dallinger, treas., on note, \$5,000	200 00
Tufts Library, on note . . . .	103 81
J. R. Totman, on note, \$1,000 . .	315 00
Joseph Totman, on note, \$5,200 . .	273 00
Thomas Humphrey, on note, \$3,000 .	157 50
Pratt school fund . . . . .	154 60
South Weymouth Savings Bank, on note, \$5,000 . . . . .	59 10
East Weymouth Savings Bank, on note, \$5,000 . . . . .	65 00
On notes discounted . . . .	530 89
On notes discounted . . . .	179 45
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	\$2,438 35

## STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

Paid State tax . . . . .	\$6,760 00	
County tax . . . . .	4,033 88	
National bank tax . . . . .	3,685 59	
	<hr/>	\$14,479 47

## NOTES PAID.

Tufts Library . . . . .	\$2,650 00	
South Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	5,000 00	
East Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	5,000 00	
Notes for money borrowed in anticipa- tion of taxes . . . . .	32,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$44,650 00

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES, WILMOT CLEVERLY.

Taxes committed for 1882 . . . . .	\$91,358 30	
Collected and paid treasurer . . . . .	78,202 37	
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Balance of taxes unpaid . . . . .	\$13,155 93	

## TOWN DEBT.

Thos. C. Humphrey, note at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent, \$3,000 00		
Joseph Totman, note at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent . . . . .	5,200 00	
J. R. Totman, note at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent . . . . .	6,000 00	
Pratt school fund, at 5 per cent . . . . .	3,092 00	
Note payable April 1, 1883, at 4 per cent, 5,000 00		
Note payable April 1, 1884, 4 per cent . . . . .	5,000 00	
Note payable April 1, 1885, 4 per cent . . . . .	5,000 00	
South Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	5,000 00	
East Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	10,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$47,292 00

## ASSETS.

Cash as per report . . . . .	\$14,488 18	
Taxes in hands of collector not paid . . . . .	13,155 93	
Due from State, Chapter 301 . . . . .	3,501 00	

Due from State, chapter 252 . . .	\$841 23	
Due from State paupers, 1881 . . .	293 00	
Due from State paupers, 1882 . . .	29 21	
Due from other towns . . . . .	297 01	
	<hr/>	\$32,605 56
Town debt . . . . .		<hr/> \$14,684 44

## STATE AID.

CHAP. 301, 1882.

Paid Henry S. Abbott . . . . .	\$48 00
Walter S. Adlington . . . . .	48 00
Andrew J. Baker . . . . .	48 00
Fred T. Bicknell . . . . .	48 00
Otis Blanchard . . . . .	48 00
Charles H. Burrell, 2d . . . . .	52 00
Robert Buttermore . . . . .	48 00
Galen A. Carter . . . . .	48 00
George V. Carlton . . . . .	48 00
Thomas Cahill . . . . .	48 00
Francis E. Coolidge . . . . .	48 00
Charles A. Crocker . . . . .	48 00
Joseph T. Dame . . . . .	48 00
John C. Eldridge . . . . .	48 00
James Ford . . . . .	42 00
Benjamin E. Foss . . . . .	48 00
Edward B. Gardner . . . . .	120 00
Jacob Gardner, Jr. . . . .	36 00
Cornelius Healy . . . . .	48 00
Lyman T. Holmes . . . . .	48 0
Patrick Howley . . . . .	36 00
Thomas Howley . . . . .	48 00
Riley E. Jenkins . . . . .	57 00
Joseph Lama . . . . .	38 00
Daniel Lamson . . . . .	48 00

Paid William A. Lewis . . . . .	\$48 00
Charles T. Linfield . . . . .	48 00
Daniel E. Looney . . . . .	48 00
Patrick Lynch . . . . .	48 00
Ellis V. Lyons . . . . .	8 00
Andrew Mahoney . . . . .	48 00
Charles McMarrow . . . . .	72 00
William McNair . . . . .	57 00
Aaron P. Nash, Jr. . . . .	72 00
William J. Pedman . . . . .	74 00
Henry Perry . . . . .	48 00
Alfred Peterson . . . . .	57 00
Benj. F. Pratt, 2d . . . . .	48 00
Josiah Q. Pratt . . . . .	92 00
Charles F. Pray . . . . .	48 00
Elijah Prouty . . . . .	48 00
George W. Russ . . . . .	62 00
Edward Slattery . . . . .	53 00
John G. Slattery . . . . .	48 00
Owen Smith . . . . .	18 00
William W. Smith . . . . .	48 00
Sargent L. Stoddard . . . . .	38 00
Samuel C. Taylor . . . . .	48 00
Stilman Thayer . . . . .	48 00
William G. Thayer . . . . .	48 00
William F. Thayer . . . . .	48 00
Christopher P. Tower . . . . .	56 00
Gilbert F. Willett . . . . .	48 00
Patrick Ward . . . . .	45 00
Thomas Mee . . . . .	44 00
George P. Lord . . . . .	51 00
Howard Baker . . . . .	43 00
Jason Smith, Jr. . . . .	48 00
Edwin G. Babcock . . . . .	48 00
Frank H. Miller . . . . .	57 00
Henry F. Miller . . . . .	48 00
Uriel Josephs . . . . .	48 00



Paid James R. Gilligan . . . . .	\$48 00
Samuel J. Ross . . . . .	36 00
Isaac Thomas . . . . .	38 00
George W. Arrington . . . . .	28 00
Stephen Clapp . . . . .	48 00
Edward Cushing . . . . .	4 00
Albert Hutchinson . . . . .	4 00
Frederick J. Gammons . . . . .	40 00
Alonzo Blanchard . . . . .	24 00
George Arnold . . . . .	16 00
James G. Jones . . . . .	40 00
Jeremiah Holbrook . . . . .	32 00
Thomas J. Nightingale . . . . .	15 00
George F. Hayden . . . . .	16 00
John Hope . . . . .	8 00
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	\$3,501 00

Of the above amount \$12 has not yet been allowed by the State.

## STATE RELIEF.

### CHAPTER 252.

Paid Thomas Maguire . . . . .	\$96 00
J. A. B. O'Keif . . . . .	175 98
Wm. R. Rogers . . . . .	190 93
Judah Wrightington . . . . .	81 00
Edward Tesney . . . . .	96 00
Geo. Holbrook . . . . .	177 05
Chas. W. Raymond . . . . .	58 00
Patrick Murra . . . . .	108 00
Elbridge L. Leach . . . . .	76 50
Daniel H. Vining . . . . .	72 00
Albert Bates . . . . .	72 0
Oliver A. Morse . . . . .	71 00

Paid Isaac H. Binney . . . . .	\$78 00
Chas. Goldthwait . . . . .	120 00
Fred M. Shipheard . . . . .	62 00
Dummer Sewall . . . . .	60 00
Saml. R. Loud . . . . .	18 00
Anson T. Bicknell . . . . .	44 00
Edward B. Whalan . . . . .	8 00
Saml. V. Holbrook . . . . .	18 00
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	\$1,682 46
Allowed by State . . . . .	841 23
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Balance to poor account . . . . .	\$841 23

## ENGINEERS' REPORT.

TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF WEYMOUTH :

*Gentlemen,* — The Board of Engineers of the Fire Department submit their report for the year 1882.

The apparatus in use, the number of feet of good hose attached to each engine, number of members, and location are as follows, viz. : —

NAME.	Mem- bers.	Feet Hose.	Location.
Steamer No. 1.....	25	1,100	Ward 3.
Active No 5.....	50	700	Ward 1.
Gen. Bates No. 3.....	35	1,100	Ward 2.
Gen. Putnam No. 4 .....	46	450	Ward 4.
Conquerer No. 1 .....	50	800	Ward 5.
Chemical No. 1 .....	12	....	Ward 5.
Rocket.....		....	Ward 2.
Hook and Ladder Trucks.....			
E. S. Beals No. 4 .....	25	...	Ward 1.
Eureka No. 2.....	21	....	Ward 2.
Hardscrabble No. 3 .....	21	....	Ward 3.
Resolute No. 1.....	25	....	Ward 5.
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	310	4,120	

This does not include the "Amazon," which, by a vote of the town, will be sold when a favorable opportunity occurs, or the leading hose bought at the time of the organization of the department, and which is mostly worn out. There should be hose enough to supply each hand-engine with one thousand feet and the steamer with two thousand, in order that hose that has been used may be properly dried before being placed upon the hose carriage to remain there. This will soon be accomplished if the town should continue the purchase of one thousand feet each year, as heretofore. Two reservoirs have been built in compliance with the votes of the town at its last annual meeting. One in Ward One, at the junction of Bridge and Sea Street, and one on Washington Street, near Washington Square, in Ward Three. The cost in building them somewhat exceeded the appropriations, which was caused by an advance in building material, and that the one in Ward Three required an extra course of brick to make it secure. They are well built, and, with all others in town, filled with water.

The number of fires in town to which the department was called were three, all of which were in Ward Two, viz. : —

May 12, Widow D. Cohan's barn, damage . . .	\$300 00
May 21, Alvah Raymond's shop, damage . . .	4,000 00
Nov. 27, Rev. J. J. Williams's barn, damage . . .	800 00

In addition, there have been several fires which have been extinguished without calling out the department, and May 11 the Gen. Bates engine and Eureka hook and ladder companies did effective service at the burning of one of the buildings at Mr. Cooper's refining works, West Hingham.

The several houses are in good repair, with the exception that two or three should be painted the coming year.

The board would call the attention of the town to the situation in Ward Two, where there are two large factories, a church, and several other buildings so located that the burning of either one would endanger the whole, and not only destroy a large amount of property, but would deprive several hundred men of the means of employment; believing that prevention is the best, the board unanimously recommend that a steamer and hose carriage be purchased by the town and placed in this ward.



We recommend that the town appropriate for 1883 \$6,600,  
viz. :—

For hose . . . . .	\$1,100 00
For general expenses and repairs . . . . .	1,500 00
For steamer and hose carriage, Ward Two . . . . .	4,000 00
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	\$6,600 00

Respectfully submitted,

Z. L. BICKNELL, *Chief*.  
 GEORGE W BATES, *Clerk*.  
 THOMAS A. KERIVAN.  
 WILLIAM O. COLLIER.  
 STEPHEN CAIN.  
 CHARLES E. BICKNELL.  
 JOHN R. H. WILLIAMS.  
 WILLIAM B. HERSEY.  
 GEORGE F. MAYNARD.  
 ALVAH RAYMOND.

WEYMOUTH, Dec. 31, 1882.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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### ACTIVE. WARD ONE.

Paid Geo. W. White, repairs . . .	\$2 00	
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	5 50	
Geo. L. Newton, engineer . . .	23 00	
J. T. Brown, engineer . . .	25 00	
T. A. Kerivan, steward . . .	50 00	
H. A. Torrey, steward . . .	25 00	
J. R. Orcutt, incidentals . . .	5 50	
J. W. Bartlett, rubber coats . . .	29 75	
Stephen Cain, repairs . . .	5 90	
W. Hefferman . . .	8 50	
E. Pratt, horse hire . . .	6 00	
For filling reservoir . . .	12 00	
Hunneman & Co., repairs . . .	25 55	
George O. Miller, cleaning reservoir	2 00	
A. W. Mitchell, badges . . .	22 62	
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	8 38	
J. B. Barker, painting engine . . .	69 00	
		\$325 70

### E. S. BEALS HOOK AND LADDER.

Paid Chas. H. Chubbuck, repairs . . .	\$1 40	
Bishop & Co., ladders . . .	15 68	
A. W. Mitchell, badges . . .	16 25	
A. F. Spear, stabling horses . . .	1 50	
H. L. Kennison, labor . . .	5 73	
W. C. Austin, wood, coal, and carting . . .	6 65	
Geo. O. Miller, steward . . .	29 42	
Geo. O. Miller, incidentals . . .	3 37	
		80 00

## GENERAL BATES. WARD TWO.

Paid M. F. Baker, incidentals . . .	\$2 61	
Chas. C. Simmons, repairs . . .	5 74	
Stephen Cain, incidentals . . .	5 76	
Oliver Burrell, repairs . . .	3 02	
W. J. Baker, incidentals . . .	10 50	
Hunneman & Co., repairs . . .	8 90	
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	13 16	
W. C. Austin, wood and carting . . .	3 50	
W. T. Rice, steward . . .	53 13	
Stephen Cain, engineer . . .	25 50	
	<hr/>	\$131 32

## EUREKA HOOK AND LADDER.

Paid C. H. Delano, repairs . . .	\$5 00	
H. Vogel, steward . . .	25 00	
	<hr/>	30 00

## ROCKET. WARD TWO.

Paid L. W. Cain, for storage . . . . .	25 00
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## STEAMER. WARD THREE.

Paid E. Bourke, expressing . . .	\$1 25
Hunneman & Co., blunderbusses . . .	30 00
Hunneman & Co., repairs . . .	8 00
Ingalls & Clapp, incidentals . . .	1 95
S. W. Pratt, incidentals . . .	2 98
A. Wyman, incidentals . . .	65
W. K. Baker, incidentals . . .	3 00
S. L. Stoddard, repairing . . .	2 00
Thos. South, repairing . . .	1 75
Thos. South, repairing . . .	10 00
A. J. Morse & Son, repairing . . .	3 75
Howard Griffin, repairing . . .	29 50
Joseph I. Bates, repairing . . .	1 50
Washington Merritt, repairing . . .	3 50

Paid Button Fire Engine Co., repairing .	\$70 86	
Thos. Griffin, engineer . . .	46 19	
O. A. Peabody, repairs . . .	60	
Hunt & Co., oil . . .	90	
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	28 81	
D. Donovan, cleaning reservoir .	5 00	
Loud & Pratt, lumber . . .	50	
Darius Smith, filling reservoir .	8 13	
Darius Smith, steward . . .	40 55	
Merriam, Morgan & Co., paraffine .	80	
S. W. King, labor . . .	5 00	
W. K. Baker, expressing . . .	21 55	
W. C. Austin, wood and carting .	1 98	
J. R. H. Williams, engineer . . .	25 00	
Chas. E. Bicknell, engineer . . .	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$393 70

## HARDSCRABBLE HOOK AND LADDER.

Paid W. J. Kennedy, hanging lamps .	\$4 75	
P. Gloster, labor on reservoir .	2 00	
R. E. White, labor on reservoir .	5 00	
Edward Jerrold, steward . . .	25 00	
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## AMAZON. WARD THREE.

Paid Elias Richard, for storage . . . .	6 00
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## GEN. PUTNAM. WARD FOUR.

Paid Edward Nolan, repairs . . .	\$2 40
Joseph I. Bates, repairs . . .	1 50
Hunneman & Co., repairs . . .	4 25
J. Roach & Co., repairs . . .	12 00
S. S. Spear, incidentals . . .	14 65
W. G. Nash, incidentals . . .	11 66
Loud & Pratt, lumber . . .	5 79
Ludo Hawes, labor . . .	11 70
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	13 32

Paid W. C. Austin, wood and carting .	\$3 50	
I. N. Tirrell, steward . . .	16 66	
George F. Maynard, engineer .	25 00	
S. S. Spear, engineer . . .	22 00	
H. Pidgeon, flag-staff . . .	20 50	
	<hr/>	\$164 93

## CONQUERER. WARD FIVE.

Paid Hunneman & Co., repairs . .	\$70 35	
A. J. Simpson, repairs . . .	10 00	
C. L. Rice, furniture . . .	12 00	
A. J. Morse, repair hose . .	9 50	
J. Roach & Co., repairs . .	7 25	
George W. Conant, repairs . .	3 25	
J. A. Dean, coal . . .	21 75	
J. Loud & Co., coal . . .	13 16	
O. P. Shaw, wood . . .	5 00	
W. C. Austin, carting coal . .	1 50	
C. F. Ewell, steward . . .	59 00	
A. Raymond, engineer . . .	25 00	
Geo. W. Bates, engineer and clerk,	56 35	
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## RESOLUTE HOOK AND LADDER.

Paid John Reidy, repairs . . .	\$10 00	
W. E. Loud, steward . . .	27 00	
Thomas Derby, steward . . .	16 66	
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## GENERAL INCIDENTALS.

Paid Prize to E. S. Beals Hook and Ladder Company,	5 00	
Refreshment to E. S. Beals Hook and Ladder Company . . . . .	5 00	
Prize to Active Engine Co. . . .	10 00	
E. Bourke, team to East Weymouth . .	4 00	
W. J. Dunbar, hauling Gen. Bates . .	5 00	
H. K. Cushing, hauling to fire . . .	6 50	
Ingalls & Clapp, refreshments . . .	5 74	



Paid E. S. Wright, refreshments, . . . .	\$15 00
Treasurer of Eureka, refreshments . . . .	10 00
W. T. Rice, refreshments . . . .	8 00
J. W. Bartlett, refreshments . . . .	6 71
Treasurer Active Co., refreshments . . . .	8 00
M. F. Baker, refreshments . . . .	4 25
Otis Cushing, hauling engine, Foss fire . . . .	10 00
Otis Cushing, hauling engine, Woods fire . . . .	5 00
Otis Cushing, hauling engine, Richardson's fire . . . .	6 00
Otis Cushing, hauling engine, Roach's fire . . . .	6 00
Otis Cushing, hauling engine, Crane's fire . . . .	8 00
Geo. Curtis, repairing Amazon, 1880 . . . .	1 00
Geo. Curtis, watching fire . . . .	1 00
H. H. Joy, printing . . . .	3 25
Z. L. Bicknell, engine to fire . . . .	5 50
Z. L. Bicknell, wash for department . . . .	9 59
A. J. Morse & Son, Active . . . .	10 25
A. J. Morse & Son, Gen. Bates . . . .	3 75
A. J. Morse & Son, Conqueror . . . .	1 75
Patrick Calnan, watching fire . . . .	4 50
J. Ford, hauling steamer to fire . . . .	42 50
L. Tuck, incidentals, Ward Five . . . .	12 26
J. Dyer, incidentals, Ward Five . . . .	6 30
Elbridge Nash, incidentals, Ward Five . . . .	1 60
J. W. Bartlett, incidentals, Ward One . . . .	9 88
W. Heffernan, incidentals, Ward Two . . . .	1 50
J. Dyer, incidentals, Ward Five . . . .	6 96
E. S. Wright, hauling hook and ladder . . . .	5 00
A. F. Thayer, hauling Active to fire . . . .	5 55
H. H. Church, watching fire . . . .	5 00
William Jones, watching fire . . . .	4 00
D. N. Wade, repairing Conqueror house . . . .	23 47
J. Poulin, repairing Active . . . .	5 75
George W. Whitten, repairing Active . . . .	6 00
George W. Whitten, store Gen. Putnam . . . .	15 00
George W. Whitten, store Gen. Bates . . . .	17 50
E. S. Wright, carting lumber . . . .	2 50

Paid A. A. Spear, cleaning vault, Ward Two . . .	\$3 00
J. B. Drew, expressing, Ward Two . . .	2 15
Treasurer Gen. Bates, refreshments . . .	8 00
Z. L. Bicknell, watching fire . . . . .	6 00
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	\$358 46
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	\$1,899 63

## RESERVOIRS.

## WARD ONE.

Paid Stephen Cain, contract . . . . .	\$392 24
Geo. O. Miller, lighting . . . . .	3 10
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	395 34

## WARD THREE.

Paid Stephen Cain, labor, etc. . . . .	\$449 19
Stephen Cain, labor, etc. . . . .	121 57
J. R. H. Williams, labor . . . . .	121 55
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## NEW ENGINE-HOUSE. WARD FIVE.

Paid S. S. Woodcock, plans . . . . .	\$55 80
George W. Conant, labor . . . . .	11 53
Charles Simmons, labor . . . . .	50 14
Patrick O'Donnell, labor . . . . .	1 50
Otis Cushing, expressing . . . . .	21 30
A. Raymond, building committee . . . . .	7 00
D. Riley, labor . . . . .	5 00
Lane & Pratt, lumber . . . . .	38 74
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## HOSE.

Paid Z. L. Bicknell, for hose . . . . .	900 00
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Total expenses of department . . . . .	\$4,078 29

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Poll tax allowed firemen . . . . .	\$427 90
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## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TUFTS LIBRARY.

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THE fourth annual report of the Trustees of the Tufts Library is respectfully submitted.

The library has been open during the year three hundred and six days. The total number of loans has been 53,393, an average of one hundred and seventy-four per day. The largest number of books issued during any one day was four hundred and thirty-three, the smallest twenty-one.

The circulation consisted of seventy-five per cent of fiction, five per cent each of travels and periodicals, three of history, two each of arts, biography, literature, natural science, and poetry, and two of all others.

There has been some improvement in the character of the reading as compared with last year, which probably accounts, in part, at least, for the slightly diminished circulation.

Three bulletins have been issued, at regular intervals, during the year, containing titles of about 1,100 books, making the whole number in the library above 6,000.

The arrangements for the transportation of books, and their distribution at agencies in different parts of the town, are working, it is believed, very satisfactorily. The books so distributed constitute about two fifths of the entire circulation.

The growth of the library rendered it necessary, in the early part of the year, to provide room for new alcoves, which was done by taking a portion of the reading-room. This arrangement, effected at the expense of the reading-room, which was already too small, can furnish only temporary relief. The library must soon outgrow its present quarters. It is to be hoped that at some future day, not far distant, the library may be located in a building more commodious and substantial, and more secure against damage by fire.



An effort has been made during the past three years to procure complete sets of the more important public documents of the State, more especially the annual reports of the State Boards of Education, Agriculture, Health, and of the Bureau of Statistics of Labor. These reports will be extremely valuable for reference, and it will soon be difficult to procure them. All have been obtained except the twentieth report of the Board of Agriculture, the tenth of the Board of Health, the first and second of the Bureau of Labor, and the first, second, third, eighth, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, and twenty-sixth of the Board of Education. It is quite probable that citizens of the town may be able to supply the deficient numbers.

A word in regard to the policy of the board in the selection and purchase of books for the library may not be out of place. By some this policy is regarded as too loose, by others as too severe. The trustees have looked upon the funds at their disposal as held by them in trust to be devoted to the public good. They have not felt at liberty to use them for the purchase of vicious, immoral, or worthless books. They have at the same time furnished, as freely as would be consistent with a proper balance in the various departments, all the best works in fiction and light literature. But, with their limited resources, they have felt bound at all times to prefer books of permanent, rather than those of transient value. No course essentially different from the one followed could establish the library upon a solid and substantial basis, such as was contemplated by the original donor, and, as they have the right to assume, such as is now intended by the town in its annual appropriations. There is no presumption in favor of spending public moneys or trust funds for books that are valueless, or worse than valueless.

They are not unmindful, on the other hand, of the criticism that the library has a mischievous and harmful tendency, especially among the young. In a certain sense and to a certain extent this is undoubtedly true. Any public library must, in order to meet the varied wants and moods of its patrons, contain many books, of which nothing better can be said than that they are harmless. They are calculated only for the diversion of an idle hour. They bear about the same relation to good books as sweetened water does to substantial, nutritious food. It cannot be denied, how-



ever, that they constitute the sole intellectual diet of a considerable percentage of readers. This is especially true of juvenile books, so called. But the trustees cannot be held responsible for the abuse of the privileges of the library. It is their province to furnish, within reasonable limits, food for all minds. It is the duty of parents and teachers to see that a library is so used as not to turn a great blessing of our time into an unmitigated curse. They are to be seriously warned that children whose reading is unguided or misguided are in danger at least of an immoderate and excessive use of the poorest juvenile fiction which the library contains. The child who has read during the year one hundred volumes of juvenile fiction is in great danger of chronic mental dyspepsia. There is a strong probability that, after feeding for a few years upon intellectual confectionery, he will never have an appetite for substantial intellectual food. The average kind of juvenile fiction would never lead a child to become manly or womanly; it rather condemns its devotees and victims to a perpetual juvenility.

An effort was made by the trustees, in October, 1881, to interest teachers in the work of guiding the reading of their pupils, and to that end a vote was passed permitting each teacher to take, on a special card, three books at a time for school use. It was stated to them in a circular that "the trustees hope in this way to aid teachers not only in illustrating school topics, but in directing children to a more intelligent use of the library, and they earnestly solicit the cordial co-operation of teachers in carrying out the purpose of this vote." They have reason to believe that in some instances teachers have so availed themselves of this opportunity as to lead children towards a healthier intellectual taste, but the results are not entirely encouraging, and the invitation of the trustees has not been in all cases or in the majority of cases accepted in the spirit in which it was tendered. It is hoped, however, that during the coming year some method, by special lists or otherwise, may be devised for bringing the schools into closer relations with the library, and it is the earnest desire of the board that every effort in that direction may have the countenance and aid of all who have at heart the intellectual health and growth of the rising generation.

The board would recommend an appropriation of twelve hundred dollars by the town for the coming year, in addition to one half of the sum to be received from the county treasury on account of dog licenses.

FRANK W. LEWIS,  
*For the Board of Trustees.*

WEYMOUTH, Jan. 1, 1883.

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TREASURER'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF TUFTS LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR 1882.

RECEIPTS.

Balance cash in treasury, Jan. 1, 1882 . . .	\$3 84
Received of librarian, for fines collected . . .	185 64
Librarian, for catalogues sold . . .	40 57
Librarian, for one book lost . . .	1 00
George T. Rand, rents . . .	400 00
C. G. Estabrook, rents . . .	150 00
Town of Weymouth, appropriation . . .	1,500 00
Tufts fund for reading-room . . .	26 60
Interest from Tufts fund . . .	100 00
Town of Weymouth, interest on note . . .	66 25
Town of Weymouth, interest on note . . .	37 56
Town of Weymouth, for note in full . . .	2,650 00
Rents for 1881 . . .	137 50
Discount, etc., on books . . .	34 61
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	\$5,333 57

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Librarian, for balance services, 1881 . . .	\$25 00
Librarian, for services for 1882 . . .	400 00
L. C. Richards, services . . .	54 10
A. L. Loud, services . . .	6 60
Janitor, services . . .	95 70
F. W. Lewis, services and expenses . . .	37 50
C. Lowery, services and expenses . . .	85
Holbrook, labor . . .	4 50

Paid Estes & Lauriat, books . . . . .	\$320 85
Lockwood, Brooks & Co., books . . . . .	394 44
Lee & Shepard, books . . . . .	523 71
Little & Brown, books . . . . .	15 00
George E. Littlefield, books . . . . .	35 00
B. F. Pratt, books . . . . .	13 60
Ellen S. Wallace, books . . . . .	20 00
Leopoldt, books . . . . .	3 00
James R. Osgood & Co., books . . . . .	31 50
Charles Tilton, books . . . . .	4 50
Jansen, McClurg & Co., books . . . . .	2 00
Carl Schonhof, books . . . . .	24 10
N. J. Bartlett, books . . . . .	1 00
C. H. P. Burnham, books . . . . .	7 25
Prov. library reference list . . . . .	1 00
John Ford, balance for 1881 . . . . .	2 00
W. T. Spilstead, transporting books . . . . .	43 00
Otis Cushing, transporting books . . . . .	30 00
J. W. Bartlett, for transporting books for 1881—	
82 . . . . .	50 00
E. E. Fisher, for distributing books . . . . .	22 00
Murphy Leavens, for duster . . . . .	2 35
Weymouth National Bank, stamps, etc. . . . .	1 36
Ward & Gay, supplies . . . . .	65
Town of Weymouth, wood . . . . .	4 00
A. S. White, for draping library, 1881 . . . . .	1 95
Joseph Loud & Co., coal and oil . . . . .	82 95
Interest on mortgage note . . . . .	124 50
Mortgage note . . . . .	2,500 00
Munn & Co. . . . .	80
N. E. School Furnishing Co., supplies . . . . .	12 35
A. Mudge & Co., printing bulletins, etc. . . . .	63 94
Alex. Sherman, repairs . . . . .	2 00
Morss & Whyte, railing, etc. . . . .	24 83
Dennison & Co., tags . . . . .	2 00
C. G. Estabrook, printing . . . . .	10 50
George S. Baker, supplies and repairs . . . . .	7 34



Paid H. C. Kingman, lamps, brackets, etc. . . .	\$7 80
Howard & Clark, alcoves, etc. . . .	110 00
J. G. Roberts, binding books . . . .	119 17
George W. White, P. O. box and supplies . .	4 51
N. D. Putney, supplies . . . .	30
W. K. Baker & Son, expressing . . . .	18 05
E. Richards, insurance . . . .	60 00
Dec. 30. Amount to balance . . . .	4 02
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	\$5,333 57

AMOS S. WHITE,

*Treasurer Tufts Library.*

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## REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

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THE Overseers of the Poor of the town of Weymouth respectfully submit the following report, with statement of expenses in the almshouse, hospitals, and for assistance rendered out of the house.

Previous to entering upon the duties of our office Mr. and Mrs. Austin had given notice of their intention to resign their position on the 1st of April, and proposals for a superintendent had been advertised for in our local as well as two Boston papers, in answer to which a very large number of applications were received. Among so many applicants it was difficult to decide upon any; so, after fully considering the matter, we concluded that, as Mr. and Mrs. Austin had always given such entire satisfaction, it would not be for the interest of the town to make any change. We therefore offered them an increase in salary of \$175, which was accepted, and they have continued the management of affairs, at the house and on the farm, in their usual efficient and satisfactory manner.

During the year we have built a piggery, which was much needed.

The products of the farm have increased, as shown by our statement, and, for lack of sufficient barn room, we were obliged



to dispose of several tons of hay in the field. We hired J. D. Austin for one year, from the 1st of April, at a salary of \$20 per month. He is well acquainted with farm operations, and has proved a valuable assistant.

There has been more sickness than usual in the house during the year, and two deaths have occurred among the inmates.

The expense of maintaining the poor has been slightly in excess of last year, but could not well have been made less.

A committee of our board have visited the Taunton Lunatic Hospital during the year, and seen all persons at that institution who are maintained by the town. The attending physician says none of our patients can with safety be removed, therefore we would not recommend any change in their maintenance.

THOS. H. HUMPHREY,  
NOAH VINING,  
WILLIAM NASH,  
HENRY A. NASH,  
GEO. A. CUSHING,  
*Overseers of the Poor.*

#### ACCOUNT OF SUPPLIES BOUGHT IN 1882.

Paid Wm. G. Nash, bill goods . . .	\$78 55
Samuel Curtis, bill goods . . .	15 25
J. Loud & Co., bill goods . . .	9 25
Loring Tirrell, for cow . . .	32 00
Haskell & Adams, for goods . . .	340 66
G. W. Simmons & Son, clothing . . .	10 50
Sanborn, for cutting wood . . .	2 00
Geo. S. Baker, filing saws, etc. . .	5 88
John Crane, shoes and findings . . .	7 86
Paine, for fish . . . . .	2 00
George T. Rand, for dry goods . . .	36 24
Newton & Beals, for goods . . .	44 06
E. Bourke, for expressing . . .	6 90
Mary French, for dress-making . . .	2 00
M. H. Read, dry goods and clothing . . .	29 50

Paid John Worster, for goods . . . . .	\$ 35
N. Curtis . . . . .	15 31
Everett & Gleason, for seed . . . . .	7 75
For snuff and pills . . . . .	44
Parker, Gannett & Co., for seed . . . . .	4 00
Bishop, for ladders . . . . .	11 65
O. W. Witcher, for leather, etc. . . . .	9 82
For cabbage plants . . . . .	2 00
For dish pan . . . . .	50
For herring . . . . .	1 50
For shoe findings . . . . .	21
Mrs. Thayer, fare to Hingham . . . . .	80
Whittemore Bros., for grindstone . . . . .	15 00
For truss for John Young . . . . .	3 00
Kimball, for meat . . . . .	4 90
Cash to John Young, to and from Gloucester . . . . .	3 75
M. K. Pratt, for journal, etc. . . . .	9 10
S. W. Pratt, hardware . . . . .	{ 13 48 7 00
A. Wyman, for medicine . . . . .	3 53
Thos. South, blacksmith work . . . . .	48 30
For turnip seed . . . . .	15
Elbridge G. Gardner, dry goods . . . . .	3 10
Howe & Son, for bread . . . . .	40 29
Chas. Bicknell, labor on boiler . . . . .	40
Justin E. Wright, labor on boiler . . . . .	50
John Hart, for steam pipe . . . . .	1 00
J. A. Torrey, soap . . . . .	26 00
Cornelius Green, for sand . . . . .	33
Chas. G. Estabrook, for Gazette . . . . .	2 00
Chas. Ahalp, for repairing . . . . .	1 10
Inmates' admission to fair . . . . .	3 75
For cheese . . . . .	37
Cap for John Gillion . . . . .	1 00
Peter Fottler, for pigs . . . . .	24 00
Anthony Tracy, fish bill . . . . .	14 66
J. Totman, for cow . . . . .	55 00

Paid For care of Mrs. Bates . . .	\$1 00
Solomon Lovett, ice bill . . .	6 93
Z. L. Bicknell & Co., for goods . . .	32 27
George R. Davis, for meat . . .	10 49
M. T. Bryant, for goods . . .	5 08
J. M. Welsh, repairing . . .	5 50
W. T. Shaw, for plough . . .	9 00
Weymouth Iron Co., weighing . . .	1 50
Josiah Martin, meat bill . . .	111 63
Dr. Nye, for extracting tooth . . .	1 00
Wm. Humphrey & Co., for wood . . .	9 00
Baptist Society, pew rent . . .	10 00
W. K. Baker & Son, expressing . . .	8 15
Expense to Boston . . .	4 55
Expense to Taunton . . .	5 65
Expense to Tewksbury . . .	2 97
Alexander Sherman, for labor . . .	8 80
Boston Herald, for advertising . . .	6 25
Boston Journal, for advertising . . .	5 25
James Moore, for wood . . .	120 37
Jas. Loud & Co., for coal and grain . . .	757 03
Wm. G. Nash, for goods . . .	{ 65 52
	{ 21 63
Wm. G. Nash, for manure . . .	24 00
Geo. S. Baker, for door fixtures . . .	3 30
Stephen Cain, labor and material . . .	31 38
Otis Cushing, difference on horse . . .	50 00
E. L. Warren, medicine . . .	8 66
Loring Tirrell, for wood . . .	87 62
Ford & McCormick, B. Lynch's burial, . . .	20 00
A. W. Blanchard, printing . . .	3 75
G. W. Fay, medical attendance . . .	69 37
J. D. Austin, for 9 mos. labor . . .	180 00
Samuel Curtis, burial Barney Pratt . . .	20 00
Stephen Cain, for setting boiler . . .	32 74
Obed Raymond, cash . . .	3 00
Thirty cords wood, from town lot . . .	75 00

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\$2,777 08



INVENTORY OF LIVE STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, WOOD, HAY, PROVISIONS, ETC., AT THE ALMSHOUSE, JAN. 2, 1883.

3 horses . . . .	\$400 00	4 draught chains .	\$3 00
4 cows . . . .	150 00	4 stake chains .	1 00
6 pigs . . . .	36 00	2 wrenches . .	1 50
36 fowls . . . .	30 00	1 set of measures .	50
2 ox-carts . . . .	20 00	2 baskets . . .	1 50
2 sleds . . . .	35 00	3 hogsheads . .	2 00
2 farm wagons .	120 00	1 half hogshead .	25
1 hay wagon . .	20 00	40 barrels . . .	4 00
2 horse carts . .	45 00	75 rails . . . .	3 00
1 covered wagon .	60 00	25 cords manure .	160 00
1 sleigh . . . .	3 00	4 tons of coal . .	24 00
1 pung . . . .	12 00	61 cords of wood .	356 00
2 wheelbarrows .	5 00	30 tons of hay . .	690 00
1 roller . . . .	3 00	1 ton of salt hay .	15 00
1 wheel drag . .	9 00	600 lbs. of pork . .	69 00
1 snow plough .	2 00	300 lbs. of ham . .	36 00
2 mowing machines	75 00	3 $\frac{1}{4}$ bbls. of flour .	26 00
1 horse rake . .	1 00	25 gals. of molasses	16 25
7 ploughs . . . .	20 00	15 lbs. of tobacco .	8 75
1 horse hoe . . .	1 00	85 lbs. of lard . .	11 90
1 buckling harrow	5 00	52 lbs coffee . .	4 42
1 two-horse harrow	15 00	35 lbs. of tea . .	14 70
1 one-horse harrow	1 00	320 lbs. of sugar .	25 60
2 double harnesses	60 00	50 lbs. of soap . .	3 00
2 single harnesses	40 00	25 gals. of soap .	3 00
2 cart harnesses .	5 00	3 scythes . . . .	2 00
4 ox yokes . . . .	1 00	6 snaths . . . .	2 00
1 chain harness .	2 00	2 bush scythes and	
4 whiffletrees and		snaths . . . .	1 50
chains . . . .	3 00	5 rakes . . . .	1 25
2 robes . . . .	15 00	2 drag rakes . .	1 00
4 halters . . . .	2 00	6 hay folks . . .	2 00
3 blankets . . . .	1 00	2 hay poles . . .	50
2 surcingles . .	1 00	1 hay cutter . .	5 00
Brush, currycombs,		2 ropes . . . .	50
and cards . . . .	1 00	3 grindstones . .	15 00



10 shovels . . .	\$6 00	5 ladders . . .	\$10 00
5 manure forks .	2 00	2 hog hooks . .	1 50
14 hoes . . . .	3 00	2 blocks and rope .	1 40
1 potato hoe . .	25	4 bushels of meal .	3 33
2 grub hoes . . .	25	4 meal bags . . .	1 00
1 spade . . . .	25	Balances . . . .	5 00
1 iron rake . . .	25	15 lbs. dried apples	1 87
3 iron bars . . .	4 00	1½ tons of roots . .	25 00
4 pickaxes . . .	2 50	100 bushels potatoes	100 00
1 bush hook . . .	1 50	7 bushels of beans	21 00
2 flails . . . .	25	20 lbs. of butter .	7 20
1 corn sheller . .	2 00	29 lbs of saleratus .	2 32
Meal chest and		3 casks . . . .	1 50
feed trough .	2 00	1 force pump . . .	1 00
9 axes . . . .	5 00	Spices . . . .	3 40
Saws and saw		1 drag . . . .	3 00
horses . . . .	2 50	Kerosene oil . . .	2 00
Beetle and wedges	1 00	1 pair of skids . .	3 00
3 hatchets . . .	50	3 boxes of salt . .	50
Chest of tools . .	5 00	50 lbs. fresh pork .	6 25
2 stone hammers .	3 00	$\frac{3}{4}$ barrel of graham	
30 lbs. of cheese .	4 20	meal . . . .	4 00
2 boxes . . . .	1 50	20 lbs. of beef . .	2 40
5 brooms . . . .	1 50	100 cabbages . . .	8 00
4 bbls. of onions .	10 00	4 coal shovels . .	4 00
Set of stone tools	3 00		
Total . . . .			<hr/> \$2,990 24

E. S. BEALS,  
ELIAS RICHARDS,  
F. DEXTER PRATT,  
*Appraisers.*

#### ALMSHOUSE RECEIPTS.

Milk . . . . .	\$30 44
Paine, for dinner . . . . .	45
J. R. Orcutt, onions . . . . .	3 25
A. J. Richards, potatoes . . . . .	5 62
E. Richards, potatoes . . . . .	7 50

Poultry . . . . .	\$2 00
For use of drag . . . . .	1 00
For potatoes . . . . .	75
For butter . . . . .	14 59
For peas . . . . .	3 11
F. P. Chapin, for hay . . . . .	20 80
Bryant, for eggs . . . . .	1 99
G. W. Fay, for hay . . . . .	52 85
Stephen Cain, for hay . . . . .	41 34
J. B. Drew, for hay . . . . .	65 73
Josiah Martin, beef, etc. . . . .	78 97
F. B. Pratt, for hay . . . . .	26 03
F. D. Thayer, for hay . . . . .	28 83
W. G. Nash, for onions . . . . .	3 25
J. E. Torrey, for hay . . . . .	92 61
J. Sampson, for cow . . . . .	40 00
W. C. Austin, for hay . . . . .	3 00
Thayer, for labor, S. White . . . . .	61 76
For labor of J. Gillion . . . . .	20 00
Guardian, L. A. Tirrell . . . . .	40 00
Joel Pratt, for board . . . . .	104 00
For board, Jarvies White . . . . .	100 00
W. C. Austin, for carting to schools, engine house, etc. . . . .	175 17
W. C. Austin, for carting coal to outside poor . . . . .	76 98
W. C. Austin, wood for schools, engine houses and town house . . . . .	227 65
W. C. Austin, wood, outside poor . . . . .	241 00
W. C. Austin, coal, town house and out- side poor . . . . .	355 73

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\$1,926 40

#### EXPENSE OF POOR OUTSIDE OF THE ALMSHOUSE.

Assistance to Wm. Holbrook and wife . .	\$196 83
Isaac Collier and wife . .	147 45

Assistance to Thomas Gammon . . .	\$115 15
S. A. Bicknell . . .	70 00
Roger Bicknell . . .	64 00
Mrs. Albert Ford . . .	52 00
Mrs. Asa Hollis . . .	58 00
Richard Spear's child . . .	66 00
John R. Burns's family . . .	113 64
Caleb Cleverly . . .	7 50
Wm. H. Davy . . .	28 50
B. F. Godwin's wife and children . . .	199 10
Joshua Pratt . . .	90 10
Mrs. Alex. White and chil- dren . . .	335 94
Mrs. John Clark and chil- dren . . .	153 70
Edward Kiley's child . . .	39 75
Hugh Cronin's child . . .	49 25
Mrs. Thos. Wall . . .	83 39
Mrs. Jas. H. Grady . . .	11 00
Mrs. John Burrell . . .	48 93
Thos. W. Nash . . .	80 13
Mrs. Mary Binney . . .	7 90
Mrs. Lois Dyer and burial	148 42
Mrs. Mary Cunniff and chil- dren . . .	257 12
Mrs. Mary Cahill and chil- dren . . .	264 90
Mrs. Elizabeth Fennell and children . . .	192 65
Mrs. Mary Donovan and children . . .	149 17
Mrs. Ellen Toomey and chil- dren . . .	136 99
Mrs. Merrey, for Cronan children . . .	109 00
Mrs. Fogerty . . .	21 63

Assistance to Mrs. Mary White, Ward 2	\$72 00
Mrs. Mary Roberts and children . . . .	80 85
Mrs. Susan F. Larmey and children . . . .	169 00
Mrs. I. L. Wing . . . .	138 75
Mrs. P. W. Maxim . . . .	120 50
James T. Borden and children . . . .	38 81
Wm. Fogerty . . . .	64 75
Mrs. Miles Clark and children . . . .	31 58
Mrs. Oliver A. Morse and children . . . .	62 00
Mrs. Geo. H. Shaw and children . . . .	153 28
Harvey Thayer and wife . . . .	234 76
Mrs. J. J. Poole . . . .	269 98
George W. Hayden . . . .	125 20
Mrs. John Clavin and children . . . .	296 86
Otis H. Hobart . . . .	184 25
Josiah M. Pratt and wife . . . .	24 33
Mrs. Peter P. Burke . . . .	11 60
Eben N. Bean . . . .	8 00
S. Edger Burrell . . . .	8 36
Mrs. John Blanchard, 2d, and children . . . .	164 85
Mrs. Jessie Davis, children, . . . .	58 12
Henry C. Bates . . . .	78 00
Mrs. Sarah O'Connell . . . .	69 50
Mrs. Margaret Powers . . . .	15 10
Patrick Conley . . . .	2 63
Mrs. Makepeace, medical attendance . . . .	14 25
Thos. Kelley, medical attendance, 1881 . . . .	2 00



Assistance to Mrs. James Barrett and children . . . .	\$17 50	
John Loud . . . .	429 51	
Harvey W. Brown . . . .	12 31	
Mrs. Anna Keene . . . .	8 00	
Daniel B. White . . . .	17 82	
Andrew Tracy . . . .	10 90	
Cornelius Connell and family . . . .	55 50	
Michael Doran . . . .	5 00	
Mrs. Mary Shields and children . . . .	18 00	
Mrs. James Roonan . . . .	2 00	
Benjamin Dyer and burial,	35 86	
Mrs. Lawton . . . .	6 50	
Chas. Raymond and family . . . .	74 69	
Edward Nadel, medical attendance, 1881 . . . .	3 75	
Roswell Corbin, medical attendance, 1881 . . . .	4 12	
Harriet Stetson . . . .	9 00	
Mrs. Hannah Podman . . . .	98 93	
	<hr/>	\$6,608 84

Paid Town of Hingham, for C. H. Maxim and child . . . .	\$78 00
Town of Walpole, for Nancy Carnes	41 74
Town of South Abington, for Jesse Chandler . . . .	148 26
Town of South Abington, for Mary J. Read . . . .	5 00
City of Lynn, for A. B. Smiledge	9 25
City of Brockton, for C. H. Fairbanks	23 00
City of New Bedford, for Addie Howland . . . .	28 00
City of N. Bedford, for Betsey Jeffers	9 75

Paid City of Lowell, for Hannah Handley	\$37 75	
City of Lowell, for Catherine Slat- tery . . . . .	14 00	
City of Boston, for Augusta Cushing	48 00	
City of Boston, for M. D. Hurley .	22 00	
City of Boston, for Lydia A. Rich .	39 00	
City of Boston, for M. Conley .	1 63	
City of Boston, for Harriet Stetson	5 00	
City of Boston, for C. Hurley, <i>burial</i>	10 00	
City of Boston, for Nellie Donovan	11 00	
City of Boston, for Wm. Jackson for son . . . . .	73 00	
City of Boston, for M. Conley .	3 00	
City of Boston, for Miles Sweeney .	13 00	
	<hr/>	\$620 38

## TAUNTON HOSPITAL.

Paid for Elizabeth M. Leach . . . .	\$180 42	
Hiram Blanchard . . . . .	187 52	
Elmer Crocker . . . . .	191 25	
Hannah Joyce . . . . .	169 34	
Hannah Joyce, clothing and bur- ial . . . . .	25 00	
Margaret Londergan . . . . .	184 01	
James H. Lloyd . . . . .	195 95	
Chas. H. Copeland . . . . .	189 12	
Mary E. Foye . . . . .	180 07	
Benjamin E. Pratt . . . . .	208 92	
Peter J. Sullivan . . . . .	9 69	
	<hr/>	1,721 29

## WORCESTER HOSPITAL.

Paid for Hannah Handley . . . . .	183 52	
	<hr/>	\$9,132 03

SUPPLIES FURNISHED THOSE HAVING SETTLEMENT  
IN OTHER PLACES.

Isabella Nelson, Rockland . . .	\$72 50	
Naomi Pike, Newburyport . . .	39 25	
Thomas J. Hill, Abington . . .	10 80	
Andrew O. Bates, Pembroke . . .	24 00	
Nancy Stertavant and children, Pembroke,	48 03	
Gertrude Mee, South Scituate . . .	75 09	
Ellen McGuire, Stoughton . . .	156 00	
Souther children, Hingham . . .	75 00	
Deborah Enos, Hingham . . .	7 66	
Mrs. John Guy, Hingham . . .	21 13	
Mrs. Mary E. Nason, Braintree . . .	9 12	
O'Brien Quigley, East Bridgewater . . .	10 00	
Mrs. Charles Manter and family, Taunton	104 00	
Nathan M. Read, Lowell . . .	52 00	
J. Taggard, South Abington . . .	2 75	
	<hr/>	\$707 33

DUE FROM STATE FOR SUPPLIES.

Furnished Thomas Gately . . .	\$10 00	
Henry Dugan . . .	1 03	
Mrs. William Ryan and children . . .	18 18	
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		\$9,868 57

PEST HOUSE.

Paid Franklin Blanchard, for moving . . .	\$80 00	
S. W. Pratt, for repairs . . .	12 00	
Samuel Estes, for whitewashing . . .	16 10	
Benjamin Ells, for repairs . . .	28 02	
W. F. Burrill, for printing . . .	37 29	
	<hr/>	\$173 41

NEW PIGGERY.

Paid J. B. Rhines & Co., for lumber . . .	\$140 26	
Alexander Sherman, for labor . . .	122 98	
W. F. Burrill, for printing . . .	12 57	
	<hr/>	\$275 81



## WOOD LOT.

Bought of heirs of Lemuel Humphrey, 60		
acres . . . . .	\$1,300 00	
Less cut for Almshouse, 30 cords, at		
\$2.50 . . . . .	75 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$1,225 00

## OVERSEERS OF POOR.

## DR.

To cash paid for supplies, as per memorandum . . . . .	\$2,777 08	
To cash paid W. A. Austin, services . . . . .	631 25	
To inventory Jan. 1, 1882 . . . . .	2,896 75	
To rent of farm . . . . .	300 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$6,605 08

## CR.

By receipts for produce, labor, board, etc.,		
per memorandum . . . . .	\$1,926 40	
By inventory of Jan. 1, 1883 . . . . .	2,990 24	
	<u>          </u>	4,916 64
Cost of poor in almshouse . . . . .		\$1,688 44

## RECAPITULATION.

Expense of poor in almshouse . . . . .	\$1,688 44	
Expense of poor out of almshouse . . . . .	9,868 57	
Aid furnished indigent soldiers, not paid by State . . . . .	841 23	
	<u>          </u>	\$12,398 24
Deduct amounts due from other towns,		
cities, and the State . . . . .	\$736 54	
Rent of farm . . . . .	300 00	
	<u>          </u>	1,036 54
Total cost poor . . . . .		\$11,361 70



## PAUPERS IN ALMSHOUSE, JAN. 1, 1883.

DATE.	NAMES.	AGE.	DISCHARGED.	Weeks	Days.
Jan. 1,	Elizabeth Tirrell.....	63	.....	52	
" 1,	Alonzo Tirrell .....	43	.....	52	
" 1,	Leroy Tirrell .....	41	.....	52	
" 1,	Lucius Tirrell.....	38	.....	52	
" 1,	Elizabeth C. Tirrell.....	28	.....	52	
" 1,	George Loud.....	41	.....	52	
" 1,	Lucy Thayer.....	59	.....	52	
" 1,	Elbridge Colson.....	58	.....	52	
" 1,	Mary F. Rosey.....	48	.....	52	
" 1,	Nancy Makepiece .....	84	Left May 3, 1882.....	17	3
" 1,	Ida A. Davis.....	22	.....	52	
" 1,	Obed Raymond .....	71	.....	52	
" 1,	Ira Raymond .....	52	.....	52	
" 1,	Barney Pratt.....	73	Died July 16, 1882.....	28	
" 1,	Joel Pratt.....	60	Boarder.....	52	
" 1,	John W. Gillion .....	97	.....	52	
" 1,	Samuel V. White .....	69	Left Dec. 26, 1882 .....	51	2
" 1,	John Young .....	62	Left June 23, 1882. Re- turned June 30, 1882.....	51	4
" 1,	Harriet Wright .....	37	.....	52	
" 1,	Otis H. Hobart.. ..	50	Left April 18, 1882.....	15	2
" 1,	Hannah Pedman .....	60	Left March 22. Returned June 17. Sent to Hos- pital Aug. 2, 1882.....	16	1
" 1,	Barney Lynch .....	77	Died Oct. 1, 1882.....	39	
" 14,	Jairus White .....	80	Boarder.....	50	
Feb. 16,	Patrick Lynes.....	50	Left Feb. 27, 1882.....	1	4
April 13,	Caleb Cleverly.....	67	Left July 16, 1882.....	13	3
Sept. 13,	Nancy Bates.....	77	Left Oct. 13, 1882.....	4	2
Nov. 22,	Benjamin C. Watkins.....	73	Left Dec. 2, 1882.....	1	3
Dec. 18,	George G. Swift .....	67	.....	2	
	Vagrants .....		.....	6	1
Whole number.....				1,077	4
Ded't 102 w'ks for boarders,				102	
				975	4

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

## MARRIAGES

*Registered in the Town Clerk's Office for the Year 1882, where one or both Parties were Residents of Weymouth.*

Date of Marriage.

- Jan. 1. Richard Deneil and Nellie Elizabeth Viger, both of Weymouth.
- " 3. David L. Sterling, of Weymouth, and Lizzie C. Damon, of Cohasset.
- " 11. John D. Walsh and Fanny A. Holbrook, both of Weymouth.

- Jan. 15. Francis William Thomas, of Cohasset, and Mary Ellen Cotter, of Weymouth.
- " 16. Herbert Kimball Cushing and Susan Annette Young, both of Weymouth.
- " 17. Samuel Warren Burrell and Maggie Frances Tobin, both of Weymouth.
- " 21. Thomas F. Brady and Catherine McEnroe, both of Weymouth.
- " 25. Henry Francis Lowell and Kate Theresa Moriarty, both of Weymouth.
- " 27. George Washington Tinkham and Maria Louisa Howe, both of Weymouth.
- " 28. Ezekiel Thomas Williams and Carrie Adelaide Manuel, both of Weymouth.
- " 29. Ellis Bradley Gay and Eliza Emily Reed, both of Weymouth.
- " 31. Wallace Whiton and Virginia Whitney Burrell, both of Weymouth.
- Feb. 7. Walter Andrew Clark and Isabella Peters, both of Weymouth.
- " 8. John Henry Laplant and Mary Elizabeth Orr, both of Weymouth.
- " 8. Arthur Franklin Burbank and Mehitabel Satley S. Marden, both of Weymouth.
- " 8. George Edward Pratt, of Braintree, and Ella Elizabeth Richards, of Weymouth.
- " 14. John Anthony Billings and Mary Louise Cuneen, both of Weymouth.
- " 15. Martin Reed and Catherine M. Martin, both of Weymouth.
- " 19. John William Whelan and Mary Ellen Hanley, both of Weymouth.
- " 19. Martin Edward Duffey and Mary Joseph Mahoney, both of Weymouth.
- " 22. Dennis Hannigan, of Rockland, and Margaret Crowley, of Weymouth.
- " 26. Charles Baker, of Barnstable, and Hannah S. Crosby Clark, of Weymouth.

- March 1. Michael Crowley, Jr., and Ellie Frances Dyer, both of Weymouth.
- “ 2. Salter Storrs Kittrell, of Braintree, and Hattie Maria Whiting, of Weymouth.
- “ 4. Walter Barker Stetson and Addie Louisa Burrell, both of Weymouth.
- “ 5. Peter P. Gomez and Flora E. Loud, both of Weymouth.
- “ 9. William Henry Berry and Adaline Rogers Whiting, both of Weymouth.
- April 9. James Kiely and Bridget McKeogh, both of Weymouth.
- “ 15. Arthur Leonard Blanchard and Carrie Lincoln Nash, both of Weymouth.
- “ 17. Henry Elmer Pratt, of Braintree, and Ida Frances Baker, of Weymouth.
- “ 23. George Fremont Kehr and Alice Winnie White, both of Weymouth.
- “ 25. Martin H. Gagin and Mary A. McGuire, both of Weymouth.
- “ 29. Caleb R. Raymond and Maud E. Raymond, both of Weymouth.
- “ 30. Herbert Wilbur Sears and Flora May Sprague, both of Weymouth.
- May 2. John Seneca Bacon and Alice Maria Knights, both of Weymouth.
- “ 21. Philip H. Cullen and Eliza A. Daly, both of Weymouth.
- “ 21. Stephen Delory and Kate Delory, both of Weymouth.
- “ 24. Frank Fremont Shaw and Eliza Ellen Tisdale, both of Weymouth.
- “ 25. Fred F. Fessenden, of Lynn, and Georgianna Coolidge, of Weymouth.
- “ 29. Franklin C. Pratt, of Weymouth, and Edith E. Percival, of Malden.
- June 7. Henry Loud Lovell and Jessie Howard Rogers, both of Weymouth.



- June 8. James Howard Christie and Louisa Maria Pool, both of Weymouth.
- “ 11. Howard Gordon Locke and Susan Williams Hersey, both of Weymouth.
- “ 18. Charles Everett Ford and Hattie Winfred Barker, both of Weymouth.
- “ 19. Joshua Franklin Vinal and Carrie Augusta Litchfield, both of Weymouth.
- “ 20. Amos Hatch Tilden and Euphemia Bourg Prouty, both of Weymouth.
- “ 28. Alonzo F. Hart of Tiverton, R. I., and Alice J. Richards, of Weymouth.
- July 1. Frank Sargent Heath, of Weymouth, and Martha E. Faulkner, of Boston.
- “ 9. William Field Binney and Susan Lizzie Farren, both of Weymouth.
- “ 19. Waldo Hayward Belcher, of Weymouth, and Eva St. Clare Wheelock, of Chanderville, Ill.
- “ 20. George A. McGowan and Susie Hughes, both of Weymouth.
- “ 30. Eliphalet R. Bates, Jr., of North Abington, and Ella J. White, of Weymouth.
- Aug. 13. Thomas Fraher, of Weymouth and Catherine Ganley, of Quincy.
- “ 19. William Grant, of Weymouth, and Isabelle McGilbey, of Cambridge.
- “ 26. Emery C. Staples and Eunice A. Davis Blanchard, both of Weymouth.
- “ 29. Martin Burrell, of Weymouth, and Irene Tuttle Howes, of Boston.
- Sept. 20. Charles A. Whitmarsh, of Abington, and Mabel Lamson, of Weymouth.
- “ 23. Edward C. Howe and Mary Jane Reardon, both of Weymouth.
- “ 26. Edward Henry Frary, of Braintree, and Lizzie Carpenter Pratt, of Weymouth.
- “ 26. Granville Ellis Field and Hattie F. Tilden, both of Weymouth.



- Oct. 1. Benjamin F. Eldridge, of Weymouth, and Henrietta F. Merritt, of North Scituate.
- ~~1~~ 1. Edward W. McAlister and Cora I. Cleverly, both of Weymouth.
- " 12. Seth Arthur Pratt and Carrie Louisa Farren, both of Weymouth.
- " 14. Charles Henry Abbott and Hannah E. Whitcomb, both of Weymouth.
- " 17. William B. Ratch, of Amherst, N. H., and Grace Marston Burrell, of Weymouth.
- ~~18~~ 18. John H. Libby, of Boston, and Laura E. French, of Weymouth.
- " 18. Thomas C. Hill, of Holbrook, and Jennie Lincoln Burns, of Weymouth.
- " 24. James Buchanan Ford, of Weymouth, and Annie Maria Cahill, of Braintree.
- " 25. George Henry Bass, of Rockland, and Mary Hannah Pratt, of Weymouth.
- Nov. ~~1~~ 1. Sidney Perkins Bates and Harriet Kendall, both of Weymouth.
- " 5. Frank W. Burrell, of Weymouth, and Nellie J. Tower, of Hingham.
- " 8. Lloyd Austin Raymond and Edith Jane Sherman, both of Weymouth.
- " 9. Henry Whitman, of Rockland, and Florence M. Holbrook, of Weymouth.
- " 12. John Welsh and Elizabeth Casey Fennell, both of Weymouth.
- " 15. Henry Wilbur Dyer and Nellie Maria Martin, both of Weymouth.
- " 22. Henry A. Taber, of Quincy, and Lydia B. Goodspeed, of Weymouth.
- " 22. Frank Herbert Thomas, of Weymouth, and Lucy Eleanor Bailey, of Rockland.
- " 22. Cornelius Roach and Bridget Elizabeth Crean, both of Weymouth.
- " 26. John William Moran and Catherine R. Smith, both of Weymouth.

- Nov. 26. William Dorant and Elizabeth Delory, both of Weymouth.
- “ 29. Charles Hollis, of Weymouth, and Mary Reynolds, of Wolfborough.
- ~~“~~ 29. Charles L. Seabury and Emma L. Blanchard, both of Weymouth.
- “ 29. Arthur B. Cushing and Lucretia Ella Derby, both of Weymouth.
- “ 30. William W. Pool, of Weymouth, and Cora E. Ayer, of South Abington.
- Dec. 4. Cranmore Nesmith Wallace, of Braintree, and Eunice Sprague Fogg, of Weymouth.
- “ 11. Thomas G. McFawn and Nellie H. Tirrell, both of Weymouth.
- ~~“~~ 14. Lemuel W. French, Jr., of Weymouth, and Georgie A. Shaw, of Boston.
- “ 19. Walter M. Dizer, of Weymouth, and Nellie Egleston, of Westfield.
- ~~“~~ 23. Elmer H. Vining and Maria L. De Lauries, both of Weymouth.
- “ 23. Amaziah B. Linscott and Maggie A. Allen, both of Weymouth.
- “ 25. William C. Murphy, of North Abington, and Margaret L. Reardon, of Weymouth.
- “ 25. James Kendrick and Mary Flannery Hone, both of Weymouth.
- “ 28. John Henry Flavell, of Weymouth, and Lizzie C. Williamson, of Marshfield.

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### BIRTHS

*Recorded in the Town Clerk's Office, Weymouth, for the Year 1882.*

Date of Birth.

January.

4. Herbert Spencer Tirrell.
4. Arthur Stanley Bolster.
7. Everett Alton Flye.

Date of Birth.

8. Thomas Kennedy.
11. Elzard Stanley Smith.
11. Nellie Frances Riley.
12. Lord Monroe Hunt.



## Date of Birth.

- 21. Ellen Purcell.
- 21. Macibel Ethel Wolfe.
- 24. Mary Isabella English.
- 25. Edmund Burke Whelan.
- 25. Henry Clifford Pratt.
- 26. Arthur Bryant Staples.
- 28. Thomas Cleary.
- 29. Catherine Allen.
- 31. Dora Isabelle Clapp.

## February.

- 3. Thomas Francis Yourell.
- 4. Bella Nicholson.
- 5. Sarah Agnes Flannery.
- 5. Geo. Eddie Shields. } Twins.
- 5. Kate Agnes Shields. }
- 6. Jessie Jones Pratt.
- 9. Male child of Lyman B. and Martha E. Fitts. } Twins.
- 9. Female child of Lyman B. and Martha E. Fitts. }
- 13. Zenas Litchfield.
- ✓ 14. Percy Francis Hosley.
- 15. John Abner Sloan.
- 15. Jennie Bicknell Cowing.
- 15. Mary Sheehy.
- ✓ 19. Grace Florence Beals.
- 22. Catherine Callahan.
- 22. Edith Tyler Remington.
- 22. Agnes Genevia McGinness.
- 25. Emma Florence Walch.
- 25. Lillie Beatrice Lyons.
- 26. John Fred. Roberts.
- 28. Florence Kimball Howe.

## March.

- 6. John Henry Kelley.
- 6. Thomas Francis Tracey.

## Date of Birth.

- 6. Willard Carlton Barnes.
- 8. Carl Franklin Burrell.
- 8. Aubra Litchfield Poe.
- 10. Mary Frances Donovan.
- 13. Henry Nelson Blanchard.
- 17. Emeline Frances Simmons.
- 19. Lester Merton Blackwell.
- ✓ 22. Lutie Willis Litchfield.
- 25. Mary Ellen Donovan.
- ✓ 27. Bertha Viola Ruggles.
- 29. Agnes Louise Kilfoy.
- 29. Addie Binney Brooks.
- 30. Bessie Clifton Churchill.

## April.

- 1. Lizzie Maria Maud Rowell.
- 2. Frank Merrill Howe.
- 3. Edna Locke Belcher.
- 4. John Walter Cronin.
- 4. Daniel George Tirney.
- 4. Alice Burnes.
- 5. Frank Alston Tinkham.
- 5. Burleigh Elwood Pratt.
- 9. Ethel May Shores. } Twins.
- 9. Harry Carlton Shores. }
- 10. Annie Louise McGrory.
- 13. Joseph Henry Deslauries.
- 14. William Henry Sullivan.
- 14. John Kelley.
- 15. Marion Gertrude Belcher.
- 15. Walter Lewis Derusha.
- 17. John Walter Howley.
- 18. Alden Ivies McFawn.
- 19. Arthur Burton Williams.
- 20. Everett Bradford Hollis.
- 20. Henry Augustus Rockwood.
- 20. Margaret Teresa Shay.

## Date of Birth.

- 23. Rose Ella Tobin.
- 24. Gertrude McLaughlin.
- 24. Ida Augusta Lovell.
- 26. Edward Francis Quinlan.
- 27. Thomas Patrick Monks.
- 28. Mary Louney.
- 30. Richard Okeley Benson.

## May.

- 1. Julia Maria Delory.
- 1. Edward Patrick Daley.
- 1. John Frank Thomas.
- 7. James Alfred Monroe.
- 8. May Assella Ford.
- 9. Male child of Timothy  
and Bridget Bresnahan.
- 10. Ethel May Fisher.
- 11. Thomas Joseph Connell.
- 13. Minot Gage Kidder.
- 13. Annie Lillis Pratt.
- 14. Male child of George E.  
and Ellen L. Garey.
- 14. Thomas Carlton Vinton.
- 16. Archie Leon Merritt.
- 16. Harold Prescott Tirrell.
- 17. Joseph Murphy.
- 17. Bertha Elizabeth Stuart.
- 18. James Henry Smith.
- 20. Mary Coyle.
- 22. Ralph Fiske Ames.
- 22. Arthur McDonald.
- 24. Joseph Russell Winch  
Hart.
- 26. Harry Abiah Chase.
- 27. Gertrude May Cummings.
- 29. Maud Evelyn Ross.
- 29. Maria Elizabeth Welch.

## June.

- 4. Annie Warren Burrell.
- 5. Daniel Lewis Regan.

## Date of Birth.

- 6. Walter Emerson Stetson.
- 7. Francis Albert Pitts.
- 12. John Martin Burrell.
- 11. George Edward Rowell.
- 11. Walter Thomas Gerald.
- 12. Annie Ryan.
- 13. Mary Dolan.
- 15. Harry Edmund Litchfield.
- 15. Mary Gertrude Lowell.
- 17. Margaret Louisa Louney.
- 17. Hattie Elizabeth Clearey.
- 18. Female child of Richmond  
A. and Althea B. Hol-  
brook.
- 18. Merton Lawrence Loud.
- 18. Lizzie Holmes Veazie.
- 18. Helen Mahoney.
- 18. George Wise Sylvester.
- 18. Elizabeth Hall.
- 19. Arthur Stanley Hawes.
- 19. Mary Connor.
- 23. Harry Liston White.
- 23. John Sumner Fogg.
- 23. Charles Henry Loud.
- 24. Margaret Ann Maguire.
- 25. Fanny Gregory.
- 28. Henry Almer Hewitt.
- 28. Henry Linwood Cushing.
- 29. Herbert Wallace Ray-  
mond.
- 30. Mary McCue.

## July.

- 1. James Lycett.
- 3. Alicia Grace Frawley.
- 6. Louis Allen Gomez.
- 9. George Russell Holbrook.
- 11. Maud Parker Salsbury.
- 13. Mabel Elizabeth Lovell.
- 17. Bessie Norton Poulin.



## Date of Birth.

- 22. Alma Ivies French.
- 24. John Abraham Dorant.
- 28. William Yourell.
- 31. Elbridge Burton Nash.
- 31. Annie Hasson.

## August.

- 2. Frank Clifton Dow.
- 2. Hellena May Benkendorf.
- 3. Cornelius O'Connell.
- 3. Ruth Enson Bates.
- 3. Alma Arnold Ford.
- 5. Frances Sophia Bleakney.
- 6. Ellen Marrow.
- 9. Alfredi Fenocekietti.
- 11. Rose Ann Higgins.
- 11. Roscoe Butterick Brown.
- 12. Joseph Harold Oldham.
- 16. Mary Howley.
- 16. Charles Dwyer.
- 18. Agnes Frances O'Rourke.
- 22. Eleanor Caroline Leonard.
- 24. Edith Helen Bullock.
- 25. Bessie Alma Burrell.
- 26. Joseph Leonard Morris.
- 28. Lillian Gertrude Farrar.
- 29. Agnes Bicknell Delano.

## September.

- 2. Helen Almira Pierce.
- 4. Catherine Lorella Griffin.
- 5. Ralph Atherton Cushing.
- 5. Walter Holmes Sidelinger.
- 6. James Andrew Borden.
- 7. Mary Ellen Lyons.
- 9. Helen Louise Clapp.
- 10. Francis Edward Pratt.
- 13. Cornelius Francis Duffy.
- 14. Ellen Loretta Coffey.

## Date of Birth.

- 14. Gerald Augustine Keirnan.
- 14. John William Veader.
- 15. Olive Mercy Pratt.
- 15. David Lord Sterling.
- 16. Thomas Francis Dwyer.
- 21. Thomas Henry Gorman.
- 21. Mary Louise Hobart.
- 24. Annie Lotta Raymond.
- 24. Edith Augusta Kitterell.
- 25. Bessie Cutler.
- 25. Margaret Landrey.
- 26. Michael Flynn.
- 26. Emma Sterling Laplant.
- 29. Charles Augustin Tobin.
- 30. Stephen Murphy.

## October.

- 1. Mary Ellen O'Connell.
- 1. George Clement Connor.
- 4. Sadie Franklin Stoddard.
- 5. Burleigh Wilson French.
- 5. Rosamond Dean Hunt.
- 7. Male child of Albert F. and Miriam C. Thayer.
- 9. Olof Larsson.
- 12. John Thomas Fraher.
- 14. Sidney Rogers Cook.
- 14. Richard Francis Deneill.
- 14. Warren Edward Smith.
- 16. Mary Ellen Nolan.
- 18. Edward Elliston Wood.
- 20. Walter Bicknell Cain.
- 21. Catharine Curley.
- 23. James Pratt Blanchard.
- 25. Charles Evans Leavitt.
- 26. Arthur Canterbury Baker.
- 28. Annie Grace Bergeron.
- 30. Michael Joseph Coleron.

## Date of Birth.

## November.

3. Teresa Donovan.
4. Mary Jane Delory.
6. Carrie Loud French.
9. John Hilman Butler.
9. Lottie Lois Cushing.
11. Alfred Cookman Beane.
11. Catharine Welch.
14. Angolina Ghiozi.
14. Frank Willis Crawford.
14. Cornelius Jerome Mc-  
Isaac.
15. Harry Francis Bacon.
19. Mary Canterbury Mundy.
20. Margaret Alice Londer-  
gan.
24. Mary Ellen Mahoney.
27. Florence May Newnham.
28. James Francis Noonan.
28. William Londergan.
28. Willie Burnside Cleverly.
30. Ralph Augustus New-  
comb.

## December.

1. Fred Winslow Hunt.

## Date of Birth.

1. Female child of John F.  
and Lucy C. Sherman.
1. Mabel Evelino Whitman.
2. John Edward Billings.
3. Arthur Endicott Hum-  
phrey.
4. Frank Harris Walsh.
5. Clara Frances McInroe.
6. Gertrude Lillian Moran.
7. Lena Bradford Orcutt.
9. Male child of Daniel J.  
and Mary A. Sampson.
10. James Henry Quinn.
12. Edith Maria Burrell.
14. Ellen McDonald.
14. William Peters Clark.
16. Mary Thaxter Reed.
18. Florence Abi Bates.
19. Esther Catherine Gagion.
19. Joseph Thomas Smith.
22. Charles Thomas Bentley.
24. Mary Ellen Mitchell.
30. Edward Fardinian Muise.
30. Perry Louise Salisbury.
31. Joseph Henry Wheelan.



## DEATHS

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[The names enclosed in parentheses indicate the maiden names.]

Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Age.			Cause of Death.	Place of Birth.
		Years.	Mos.	Days.		
Jan. 4.	Harriet (Loring) Cushing .....	78	..	8	Complication of Diseases ....	Hingham.
" 4.	Peter J. Gny.....	39	9	..	Heart Diseases .....	Sweden.
" 7.	Male child of Andrew J. and Mary E. Randall .....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	Weymouth.
" 8.	Newell Marden.....	89	10	8	Dropsy.....	N. Hampsh'e.
" 8.	Lorenzo Tuck.....	55	6	..	Chronic Nephritis .....	Maine.
" 10.	John Butcher Holbrook .....	..	9	28	Enteritis .....	Weymouth.
" 15.	John Foley.....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	"
" 18.	Elizabeth (Worster) Bragdon... ..	82	11	18	Pneumonia .....	Maine.
" 18.	Carrie E. (Stoddard) Spear.....	24	..	18	Phthisis Pulmonalis. ....	Weymouth.
" 19.	William Jagoe.....	50	9	14	Heart Disease .....	Ireland.
" 20.	Bartholomew Smith.. ..	82	..	..	Old Age.....	"
" 21.	Martha W. (Bates) Burns .....	34	9	11	Cerebral Hemorrhage.....	Boston.
" 22.	Sumner H. Hayden.....	3	7	..	Diphtheria .....	Weymouth.
" 23.	George H. Prouty.....	20	2	5	Phthisis .....	"
" 23.	John T. Hunt .....	75	3	23	Dropsy.....	"
" 23.	Mary A. (Coyle) Foley.....	26	1	23	Puerperal Fever.....	"
" 24.	Luey (Burrell) Totman.....	69	1	24	Hypertrophy of the Heart....	"
" 25.	Edward Cushing .....	60	..	23	Pneumonia.....	Boston.
" 25.	Ruth I. (Jones) Willis.....	30	9	21	Pneumonia.....	Weymouth.
" 26.	Male child of Thomas and Nellie McCarthy .....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	"
" 27.	Burleigh A. Souther.....	17	4	5	Epilepsy .....	Hingham.
" 30.	Benjamin Cudworth.....	47	3	27	Pneumonia.....	Scituate.
Feb. 1.	Elizabeth (Carman) McGrath....	76	..	..	Cancer .....	Ireland.
" 2.	Harriet A. F. (Joy) Hollis.....	65	2	23	Cardiac Asthma .....	Weymouth.
" 5.	Lydia H. (Hawes) Ellis .....	66	10	3	Phthisis.....	"
" 5.	Freeman Whitmarsh .....	81	6	9	Heart Disease .....	"
" 6.	Thomas Nash .....	92	7	27	Senile .....	"
" 7.	Lillian J. Lobdell.....	18	5	10	Diphtheria .....	Plympton.
" 8.	Marabel E. Wolfe .....	..	..	19	Spina Bifida.....	Weymouth.
" 8.	Male child of Patrick and Margaret Manning.....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	"
" 9.	Elisha T. Penniman. ....	69	7	3	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis	Boston.
" 13.	Bertha (Tirrell) Loud .....	83	3	21	Softening of the Brain .....	Weymouth.
" 14.	Ellen Moran.....	15	3	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis .....	Ireland.
" 14.	Austin W. Shaw .....	1	6	5	Pertussis with Spasms.....	Weymouth.
" 15.	William Cutler, Jr.....	..	5	20	Disease of Brain.....	"
" 15.	Male and female twlms of Lyman and Martha Fitts .....	..	..	4h	Atelectasis .....	"
" 16.	Jennie M. Lincoln.....	9	11	1	Pneumonia.....	Hingham.
" 16.	Mary I. Howard.....	9	6	6	Meningitis Tubercular.....	Weymouth.
" 18.	Eugene B. Murphy.....	55	6	15	Pneumonia .....	Boston.
" 19.	Margaret Dislauriers .. ..	4	4	6	Congestion of Brain .....	Nova Scotia.
" 19.	James Patrick Kennedy.....	..	11	2	Meningitis .....	Weymouth.
" 20.	Caroline Weston .....	73	5	7	Pneumonia.....	"
" 23.	Ezekiel J. Whitecomb.....	58	..	28	Pneumonia.....	Cohasset.
" 25.	Nancy R. Wade.....	86	10	..	Cardiac Dropsy .....	Woburn.
" 26.	Jessie C. Hosley.....	5	1	..	Enteric Fever .....	Weymouth.
" 28.	Annie H. Garey.....	1	11	3	Membranous Croup .....	"
Mar. 3.	Theresa Donahoe.....	1	7	7	Diphtheria .....	"
" 9.	Louisa (Shackford) Cushing....	60	7	22	Oedema of Lungs.....	Boston.
" 10.	Helen M. (Cragin) Lincoln .....	36	11	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis .....	"
" 15.	John M. Veader.....	13	8	..	Heart Disease .....	"
" 16.	Franklin Holbrook .....	51	6	..	Cardiac Syncope .....	Rockland.
" 19.	Nettie A. Joy .....	14	4	24	Pleuro Pneumonia.....	Weymouth.
" 21.	William Haragan.....	38	..	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis .....	N. Brunswick

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Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Age.			Cause of Death.	Place of Birth.
		Years.	Mos.	Days.		
Mar. 21.	Ethel May Pierce.....	1	9	22	Meningitis Tubercular.....	Weymouth.
" 21.	Bertrana F. Joy.....	9	2	21	Pneumonia.....	"
" 27.	Percy F. Hosley.....	"	1	12	Pneumonia.....	"
" 27.	Thomas F. Yourell.....	"	1	24	Lung Fever.....	"
" 27.	James H. Clapp.....	51	"	19	Encephaloma.....	Seituate.
" 29.	Samuel French.....	85	6	17	Paralysis.....	Weymouth.
" 31.	Jane L. (Thomas) Tirrell.....	44	9	11	Cancer.....	"
April 6.	Solomon Lovell.....	65	10	22	Hydrothorax and Exhaustion.	"
" 9.	John Flynn.....	60	"	"	Erysipelas.....	Ireland.
" 12.	Charles Merritt.....	60	6	24	Dropsy of Chest.....	Weymouth.
" 15.	Elizabeth Marrow.....	78	"	"	Old Age.....	Ireland.
" 16.	Frank W. Lovell.....	28	"	"	Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	Weymouth.
" 16.	Theodore J. Rand.....	71	3	12	Apoplexy.....	N. Hampsh'c.
" 23.	Female child of Horace M. and Cora E. Randall.....	"	"	"	Stillborn.....	Weymouth.
" 23.	Priscilla (Shaw) Hunt.....	83	"	"	Cardiac Dropsy.....	Rockland.
" 23.	Mary B. (Blanchard) Spear.....	52	7	8	Encephalitis.....	Weymouth.
" 24.	Albree M. Thomas.....	30	11	24	Quick Consumption.....	"
" 26.	Edna L. Belcher.....	"	"	24	Congestion of Lungs.....	"
" 28.	Lydia R. (Richards) Loud.....	83	11	5	Senile Consumption.....	"
May 1.	Abbie L. (Perry) Bicknell.....	62	5	21	Phthisis.....	Boston.
" 2.	Winfield B. Tirrell.....	43	4	"	Pneumonia.....	Weymouth.
" 4.	Joseph F. Marrow.....	2	4	4	Meningitis.....	"
" 4.	Clarissa S. (Littlefield) Thomas..	58	10	1	Heart Disease.....	"
" 5.	Eveline D. Sherman.....	5	1	28	Diphtheria.....	"
" 6.	George A. Tracey.....	13	5	25	Hip Disease.....	"
" 7.	Michael Kennedy.....	69	"	"	Typhoid Pneumonia.....	Ireland.
" 8.	Eliza (Loud) Burrell.....	88	7	5	Senile Gangrene.....	Weymouth.
" 9.	Ezra W. Reed.....	0	3	"	Acute Enteritis.....	"
" 10.	Lewis Beals.....	88	6	2	Old Age.....	"
" 13.	Minot Gage Kidder.....	"	"	5h	Premature Birth.....	"
" 14.	Male child of Geo. E. and Ellen L. Garey.....	"	"	"	Stillborn.....	"
" 15.	Male child of Geo. E. and Ellen L. Garey.....	"	"	1	Debility.....	"
" 15.	Bridget (Sheehan) Bresnahan ..	36	"	"	Puerperal Fever.....	Ireland.
" 19.	Edward P. Dailey.....	"	"	7	Spasms.....	Weymouth.
" 20.	David P. Richards.....	62	5	28	Dropsy.....	"
" 25.	Almira B. (Blanchard) Tirrell..	74	7	2	Pneumonia.....	"
" 25.	Nabby B. (Tirrell) Pratt.....	68	3	27	Paralysis.....	"
" 26.	Sally S. (Raymond) Gay.....	81	"	"	Consumption.....	Middlboro'.
" 26.	Thomas Kennedy.....	"	1	18	Inanition.....	Weymouth.
" 28.	Sarah Whitney Partridge.....	"	7	21	Typhoid Pneumonia.....	Marshfield.
" 29.	Sumner Spaulding.....	44	"	"	Nephritis.....	Unknown.
" 30.	Catherine Casey.....	24	1	27	Phthisis.....	Weymouth.
June 1.	Minnie M. Cram.....	3	2	17	Consumption.....	Vermont.
" 9.	William Fogerty.....	76	"	"	Disease of Kidney & Old Age.	Ireland
" 9.	Harry W. Clark.....	18	8	11	Heart Disease.....	Weymouth.
" 10.	Seth Sutton.....	68	2	12	Paralysis.....	Seituate.
" 15.	Alvah Raymond.....	83	2	27	Cystitis.....	Middleboro'
" 15.	Abigail S. (Damon) Stetson.....	46	1	10	Consumption.....	Hanover.
" 19.	Evelyn B. (Brown) Sherman.....	29	3	16	Pyæmia.....	So. Abington.
" 19.	Margaret C. (Cary) Stone.....	34	5	25	Brain Disease.....	Weymouth.
" 23.	Timothy E. Cleary.....	24	"	1	Consumption.....	Brainree.
" 25.	Lizzie H. Richards.....	21	5	6	Peritonitis.....	Weymouth.
" 25.	Helen M. Twombly.....	48	8	21	Pelvic Abscess.....	G. Falls, N.H.
" 29.	Hervey E. Weston.....	65	"	"	Paralysis.....	Weymouth.
July 1.	Walter T. Gerald.....	"	"	19	Thrush.....	"
" 2.	Lydia W. (Loud) Thayer.....	70	5	"	Cystitis.....	"
" 6.	Male child of Michael and Mary A. Larrey.....	"	"	"	Stillborn.....	"



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July 15.	Bridget Callahan .....	1	11	25	Tubercular Meningitis and Pulmonalis.....	Weymouth.
" 17.	Barnabas Pratt.....	73	..	..	Senility .....	"
" 19.	Florence A. Harding .....	39	1	..	Heart Disease.....	"
" 21.	Female child of Edgar E. and Hannah L. Thomson .....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	"
" 21.	Charles A. House.....	2	7	..	Pneumonia and Dysentery...	"
" 24.	Ellen E. Jackson.....	14	4	6	Phthisis Pulmonalis .....	Hingham.
" 27.	Thomas Pray.....	75	4	19	Gastritis .....	Weymouth.
" 29.	Caleb S. Cleverly.....	68	6	18	Bright's Disease.....	"
Aug. 1.	Sylvanus Cushing .....	77	8	..	Typhoid Dysentery.....	Plympton.
" 4.	Lizzie Friary.....	1	8	2	Convulsions .....	Weymouth.
" 9.	Onnie Nolan .....	74	..	..	Apoplexy .....	Ireland.
" 10.	Sarah W. French.....	18	5	3	Heart Disease .....	Braintree.
" 11.	Mabel O. Morales .....	1	1	6	Brain Disease .....	Weymouth.
" 12.	Freeman Littlefield.....	64	9	25	Dropsy from Heart Disease..	"
" 14.	Henry T. Saville .....	1	..	17	Measles .....	"
" 17.	Margaret Landerkin Giles .....	81	5	..	Heart Disease .....	Marblehead.
" 18.	John Parrott .....	89	11	3	Paralysis.....	CNAV'n Wales
" 21.	Harold L. Blanchard .....	..	9	21	Cholera Infantum .....	Weymouth.
" 22.	John Fraher.....	72	..	..	Concussion of Brain.....	Ireland.
" 25.	Thomas Londergan.....	2	2	..	Cholera Infantum.....	Weymouth.
" 26.	Francis A. Pitts.....	..	2	14	Marasmus.....	"
" 31.	John W. Loud .....	80	..	..	Paralysis.....	"
Sept. 2.	Catherine A. Rice .....	87	7	1	Encephalomalacia .....	Marlboro'.
" 3.	Honora Coffey .....	70	..	..	Congestion of Brain & Kidney	Ireland.
" 3.	Julia Maria Delory .....	..	5	5	Cholera Infantum .....	Weymouth.
" 4.	Carrie Morse Loud.....	..	11	2	Cholera Infantum .....	"
" 6.	John P. Monks.....	..	4	10	Cholera Infantum .....	"
" 8.	Archie Leon Merrett .....	..	3	28	Cholera Infantum .....	"
" 8.	Arthur Clifford Rowell.....	2	1	6	Pneumonia .....	"
" 10.	Temperance (Barrell) Denton....	81	8	..	Dysentery.....	Scituate.
" 12.	Lucy (Philip) Whitmarsh.....	78	..	28	Cancer .....	Weymouth.
" 12.	Ida Florence (Tenny) Dizer .....	26	1	12	Pulmonary Tuberculosis ....	Stoughton.
" 13.	Percy Clayton Lovell.....	1	2	13	Teething .....	Weymouth.
" 14.	Ellen T. Reilly .....	..	8	3	Cholera Infantum .....	"
" 22.	Nathaniel Ford.....	79	5	17	Paralysis.....	"
" 23.	David L. Sterling.....	57	9	24	Septicæmia from Cellulitis ..	Vermont.
" 26.	James Andrew Borden.....	..	..	20	Cholera Infantum .....	Weymouth.
" 29.	Barney Lynch.....	76	..	..	Encephaloid.....	Ireland.
" 30.	George Eddie Shields .....	..	7	24	Marasmus .....	Weymouth.
Oct. 1.	Clara Blanchard.....	22	3	1	Pulmonary Consumption ....	"
" 2.	James H. Smith.....	..	4	14	Marasmus.....	"
" 3.	Clarissa H. Ford.....	70	..	10	Paralysis.....	"
" 3.	Kate Agnes Shields .....	..	7	27	Marasmus .....	"
" 3.	Nellie Boyle.....	16	5	..	Consumption.....	Braintree.
" 4.	Mary A. Welch .....	23	..	..	Consumption .....	Weymouth.
" 9.	Ella F. (Stickney) Earle.....	21	5	21	Consumption .....	Duxbury
" 11.	William Holbrook.....	82	..	24	Typhoid Fever .....	Weymouth.
" 16.	Warren Edward Smith.....	..	..	2	Cyanosis .....	"
" 17.	Julia (McGorvern) Gorman .....	29	8	8	Puerperal Fever.....	New York.
" 18.	John Hogan.....	65	..	..	Heart Disease .....	Ireland.
" 19.	Norton Quiney Tirrell.....	64	10	29	Paralysis.....	Weymouth.
" 21.	Thomas Cullen.....	62	..	..	Heart Disease.....	Ireland.
" 24.	Lizzie W. (Kelly) Hunt.....	45	7	8	Cancer .....	Randolph.
" 24.	Thomas W. Nash .....	91	2	3	Pneumonia.....	Weymouth.
" 25.	Margaret (McFarlane) Chapin....	40	7	2	Cancer .....	Camden, Me.
" 26.	Sarah Pratt Perkins .....	52	9	16	Phthisis Pulmonalis and Bright's Disease.....	Weymouth.
" 29.	William Dwyer .....	73	8	20	Pneumonia .....	Ireland.
" 30.	Emma M. Lendrey .....	..	..	3	Infantile Debility.....	Weymouth.

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Nov. 7.	James Barrett.....	60	..	..	Paralysis.....	Weymouth.
" 7.	Morgan J. Connell.....	23	..	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	"
" 7.	Susan R. (Hunt) Thayer .....	66	7	27	Inflammation of Bowels.....	"
" 10.	Thomas Richards .....	84	6	19	Paralysis .....	"
" 20.	Jonathan Hunt.....	74	6	15	Unknown .....	"
" 21.	Sarah (Wilder) Gardner .....	73	1	27	Hepatic and Cerebral Conges- tion .....	Hingham.
" 22.	Fannie L. Merrill.....	6	11	15	Diphtheritic Croup.....	Rockland.
" 22.	Herbert T. Mellen.....	23	6	23	Blood poisoning.....	Middleboro.
Dec. 1.	Betsey Harlow Curtis .....	64	9	7	Dropsy.....	Abington.
" 4.	Julia (Bradley) Quigley .....	39	..	..	Complication of diseases.....	Ireland.
" 6.	Jason Pratt.....	84	9	..	Paralysis .....	Weymouth.
" 7.	Margaret (Moore) Dwyer .....	40	10	19	Erysipelas and Pneumonia ..	Ireland.
" 9.	Belinda M. (Burrell) Joy .....	64	8	17	Congestion of Lungs .....	Weymouth.
" 11.	Sarah (Davis) Seabury .....	74	2	14	Endocarditis .....	Freeport, Me.
" 12.	Richard H. Clark.....	14	7	..	Concussion of spine & brain..	Upton.
" 13.	Male child of Harry W. and Josephine Pool Woodbury .....	..	..	..	Stillborn .....	Weymouth.
" 14.	Hannah Bates (Rice) Joyce.....	67	..	..	Dropsy.....	"
" 17.	Lucius S. Bates .....	66	10	7	Pulmonary Thrombosis.....	"
" 17.	Priscilla L. (Holbrook) Poole....	52	1	2	Cancer .....	"
" 20.	Francis Joseph Sullivan .....	2	7	13	Membranous Croup .....	"
" 21.	Hannah (Belcher) Tirrell .....	80	11	24	Shock from Burns.....	Holbrook.
" 21.	William Peters Clark.....	..	..	7	Acute Nephritis.....	Weymouth.
" 25.	Catherine Curley.....	..	2	15	Marasmus .....	"
" 27.	Martha A. (Hewett) Davy.....	35	..	..	Consumption.....	Easton.
" 27.	Ann Cook.....	58	8	..	Cancer .....	Ireland
" 28.	Lucinda B. (Bicknell) French....	68	3	..	Puerpera.....	Weymouth.

Whole number of marriages registered for 1882 : —

Where one or both parties reside in Weymouth	91
Non-residents	18
	— 109

Whole number of births for 1882 : —

Males	134
Females	121
	— 255

Whole number of deaths for 1882 : —

Males	101
Females	94
	— 195

Excess of births over deaths	60
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Attest,

JOHN A. RAYMOND,  
*Town Clerk.*

WEYMOUTH, January, 1883.

REPORT  
OF THE  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
OF THE  
TOWN OF WEYMOUTH  
FOR THE YEAR 1882.

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## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

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THE School Committee of Weymouth respectfully present to the citizens of the town their

### ANNUAL REPORT.

The sum appropriated at the last annual town meeting, to be raised by tax, for the support of our schools during the year, was . . . .		\$27,000 00
This was increased by the Pratt fund . . . .		300 00
By the alewife fund . . . .		252 00
By the State fund . . . .		200 00
By the dog license fund . . . .		398 00
Appropriation for repair of school-houses . .		1,500 00
Total . . . .		<u>\$29,650 00</u>

Believing that this was a generous appropriation, such as was to be expected from the enlightened sentiment of the town, the committee determined that the expenses of the department should not exceed it.

They have strictly adhered to this determination, and are now able to show an expenditure somewhat less than the appropriation, viz.: For the salaries of the teachers, repairs of the school-houses, fuel, incidentals, janitors' services, and cleaning, \$29,335.50. Included in this sum is \$52.89 paid by the town for books supplied to children in the several wards, as follows, viz.: Ward I., \$4.59; Ward II., \$33.59; Ward III., \$3.72; Ward IV., \$6.17; Ward V., \$4.82. This leaves an unexpended balance in favor of the town of \$314.50, occasioned principally from the saving made by uniting two schools in Ward II.

### SUPERINTENDENT.

At the last annual town meeting, a vote was passed, instructing the School Committee to employ a superintendent, and appropriating \$1,800 for his salary.

Your committee immediately took steps to carry this vote into effect. After careful deliberation they unanimously voted to employ Mr. Gilman C. Fisher, of Dover, N. H., for one year, and on the eighteenth day of April passed over to him the care of the schools. At that time he assumed their general management, and has, thus far, had the entire control and responsibility of their literary supervision. He is earnest and industrious, and we believe his work in most respects is satisfactory. We think it would be well to re-engage him for another year. His report is herewith transmitted.

### CHANGES OF TEACHERS.

The following-named teachers have terminated their connection with the Weymouth schools during the year: —

Mr. G. W. Shaw, of the North High; Mr. Geo. B. Vose, of the South High; Miss Helen A. Fiske, assistant, North High; Mr. James E. Humphrey, Athens Grammar; Mr. Fred. E. Loud, Adams Grammar; Misses Stella L. Tirrell and Hattie Dyer, Adams Primary; Miss Harriette M. Terry, Bicknell Upper Intermediate; Miss Susie L. Farren, High Street Primary; Mrs. A. F. Gardner, School Street Primary; Miss Carrie L. Farren, Middle Street Primary; Miss Mary L. Hunt, Perkins Primary; Miss Cora L. D'Arcy, Tremont Primary; Miss Mary L. Lewis, Broad Street Second Grammar.

The vacancies in the North High School have been filled by the election of Mr. Robert E. Denfeld as principal, and Miss Edith A. Parkhurst as first assistant. Owing to the unusually large number admitted to this school from the grammar schools, it was found necessary at the beginning of the school year to employ another assistant, and Miss Carrie A. Tower was elected to that position.

The vacancy existing in the South High School was filled by the



election of Mr. Nathaniel S. French as principal. In the First Ward Mr. C. S. Haskell was elected as teacher of the Athens Grammar; Miss Lottie A. Ham, Adams Grammar, and Miss Hattie Dyer, Adams Primary. Miss Dyer tendered her resignation in November, and Miss Agnes T. Dunphy was elected to the position.

More changes have been made in the schools in Ward Two than in either of the other wards. The long-talked-of re-grading of the primaries has been accomplished without any of the clashing anticipated by those who were unfavorable to the movement, and the results have thus far proved highly satisfactory.

We believe that the schools in this ward are now as well graded as is possible, considering all the circumstances of location and extent of territory.

The primary schools are now located as follows: —

Grant, first and third primary, Miss Ida M. Taylor, teacher; High Street, second primary, Miss Priscilla L. Collier, teacher; School Street, first primary, Miss Mary A. Webster, teacher; Franklin, third primary, Miss Charlotte B. Tower, teacher; Middle Street, first and second primary, Miss Mabel J. Thayer, teacher; Pleasant Street, third primary, Miss Katie C. Keohan, teacher. During the summer vacation Miss Mattie N. Hanson, who had been re-engaged as teacher of the Bicknell Intermediate School, received a much more remunerative appointment to a position in her own town, and consequently tendered her resignation.

This left one of the most difficult positions in town without a teacher; and not only that, but it was found that the number attending that grade would be so large that two schools would also be necessary.

The superintendent and committee made diligent search for successful teachers of experience who would accept these positions for the salaries offered.

This search was continued without success until the last week of vacation, when it was decided to locate the entire upper intermediate grade of the ward in the Bicknell school-house, and, if possible, induce Miss Hanson, with a half-time assistant, to take charge of the school. The committee accordingly added \$100 to the regular salary, and engaged Miss Florence J. Fay as assistant, at a salary



of \$100 per annum, making the salary of two teachers of this grade \$560.

The plan was carried out, and has thus far worked admirably, besides making a saving to the town in teachers' salaries of \$160, and also the expense of fuel and care of room.

There were, doubtless, several teachers in town who would have accepted the position at the increased salary, and would have made the school a success, but at that late day in the vacation it was thought to be unwise to make any more changes than were absolutely necessary.

At the beginning of the current year the class formerly known as the Perkins lowest primary was placed in the lower room of the Lincoln school-house, Miss S. Lizzie Hunt, teacher, and the middle primary was placed in the Tufts school-house, Miss Hattie E. Darcy, teacher, in place of Miss Mary L. Hunt, resigned.

The upper primary, Miss Hannah E. Ward, teacher, formerly located in the Lincoln school-house, was also transferred to the Tufts school-house, as was also another third primary which had previously occupied a recitation-room in the high-school building. Miss Cora D'Arcy, who had taught this school several terms, tendered her resignation in March, and Miss Hattie L. Reed was elected to the position.

The lowest intermediate school, under Miss Emma F. Parker, was also transferred from the Lincoln to the Tufts building.

Very much to the disappointment of all interested, the four upper grades in the Third Ward were unable to commence their work until the other schools in town had been in session three or four weeks, owing to the fact that the new building was not ready for occupancy, and by the transfer of other grades no suitable accommodations could be found elsewhere.

The same teachers are in charge of these schools as were during the last year, with the exception of Miss Mary L. Lewis, who tendered her resignation at the beginning of the Thanksgiving vacation, and her place was filled by the selection of Miss Lottie E. Allen as teacher. No changes have been made in the schools or teachers in the Fourth and Fifth Wards, with the exception of those in the high school previously mentioned.

## TEXT-BOOKS.

Very few changes in text-books have been made during the past year. Greene's "Thought and Expression" has been taken out of the primary grades; and the "Franklin Intermediate Reader" has been introduced in the third grammar grade. In accordance with the wishes of the superintendent, and for the purpose of increasing interest and proficiency in reading, five sets of supplementary readers have been placed in the primary grades, viz., Appleton's, MacGuffie's, Swinton's, Parker's, and Harvey's. These books are carried from one school to another, at stated times, and thus each pupil has an abundant supply of fresh reading matter throughout the year. The committee feel that this is a measure which is decidedly progressive as well as economical (the whole of the above supply cost less than \$125), and one which should be extended to all the grades. We say it was an economical measure: for these books were purchased at wholesale prices; and as they are the property of the town, the teachers feel more directly the responsibility of having them properly cared for, and thus the pupils will be trained in an art which is too much neglected, — the art of taking care of things; and, moreover, the books will serve quite a number of classes before they are worn out, and there will be no need of further outlay for supplementary reading in these grades for several years.

For the sake of practising and encouraging economy, would it not be wise for the town to own all the text-books used in the schools? Is not the text-book just as much a piece of school apparatus as the blackboard, the dictionary, or the map?

Doubtless many just criticisms can be made upon all the text-books in our schools; nevertheless we think that, with very few exceptions, — and those mainly in the high-school studies, — no changes in text-books are needed at the present time. The perfect text-book has not yet appeared, and real progress toward it, as in all other directions, is necessarily slow. That being the case, the selection of a text-book depends upon little else than a comparison of the excellences and deficiencies of one author with those of another;



and a change in text-books depends upon well-grounded dissatisfaction with those in use and undoubted superiority in those to be substituted. Therefore changes should be made guardedly, and not hastily.

The quality of the text-book, however, is of far less consequence than the quality of the teacher, — a fact that most authors fail to recognize; for their works seem to be written under the idea that the teacher knows very little, if anything, and that, in using their books, there is almost no need of a teacher. We hold, on the other hand, that a good teacher knows more than the book, and will use a poor one to advantage, while a poor teacher will make but sad work in attempting to use the best of text-books.

### GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

They are among the most important of our schools, for two reasons: viz., they are the *graduating* schools for a large majority of our children, and they are the nurseries of our high schools. As graduating schools they ought to give those who go out from them a good practical education, so that they may be well furnished for the ordinary business of life. As sources of supply for the high schools they ought to be made as good as possible. The beginning of the high school and the ending of the grammar school are on the same plane; hence in lifting the grammar school to a higher position, we by just so much elevate the high school. It would appear, then, that *all* our citizens should feel the deepest interest in the grammar schools, and should heartily welcome any suggestions looking toward the improvement; some, that their children may get the best preparation they can give them for their *life work*, and *others* that they may be better fitted to pursue their studies through the high school and college.

Our grammar schools, we believe, are supplied with an excellent corps of teachers, and are making very commendable progress, but this by no means implies that they might not be improved, neither do we mean the *slightest disparagement* to those teachers when we affirm that they *ought* to be improved. We believe they would heartily respond to any suggestions by which they might be enabled to do more thorough work.



We believe there is too great an inclination on the part of parents and children to *rush* through the grammar school, as if the sooner they are out of it the better.

As a result, many enter our high schools at too early an age; they are not sufficiently strong, *mentally* or *physically*, to sustain the pressure of high-school work without injury. Hence many, on graduating from the high school, are shattered in health, while others fall far below the standard they ought to have reached. We believe this is one of those cases where it is very much better to make haste slowly. It would be better for many of our children to remain longer in the grammar school; it would by no means be lost time. Later in life they would realize its benefit to them. We do not believe in *precocious* work. Things which grow and mature very rapidly are usually short lived. We would advise parents and children not to be in too much haste to get out of the school, but to remember that they are doing foundation work, and that the better the foundation the more permanent and useful the *building* will be likely to be. It would also be well to look after the springs which feed the *grammar* schools, viz., the schools of lower grade. We are inclined to the opinion that they are not doing their best work, and that the percentage of promotion should be raised in all the lower grades, and that a *much higher* percentage should be demanded for promotion from the grammar to the high schools. For this we propose to work, hoping to show, ere long, far better results in all our schools, from the lowest to the highest grade.

## HIGH SCHOOLS.

It was thought to be for the best interests of these schools that a change of teachers should be made at the close of the last school year.

We appreciate the high intellectual attainments and the general ability of both the gentlemen previously connected with the schools as principals, and realize that they have many friends both among our citizens and their former pupils.

In regard to making this change we did not feel that we could

be governed by our individual friendships, but by what we believed to be the highest interests of the schools.

From the large number of applicants for these situations, after careful inquiry and investigation of previous history, the two gentlemen who now fill the positions were selected.

They entered upon their duties enthusiastically, and, while it is too early to judge fully of their work, it is believed they will be successful.

On the last day of the summer vacation the committee were surprised to receive the resignation of Miss Helen A. Fisk, for five years the successful assistant teacher in the North High School, she having previously obtained a situation in Gloucester, Mass.

At that late day, when most of the schools in this vicinity were just commencing, it was a difficult matter to obtain a teacher to fill her place. We were, however, successful in engaging Miss Edith A. Parkhurst, a graduate of the Salem Normal School, who had just been re-elected for the eighth year to a position as teacher in Gloucester, Mass. Miss Parkhurst, for the seven years since her graduation, in connection with her teaching, has been pursuing the study of the modern languages at the institution where she graduated.

Miss Carrie A. Tower, of South Weymouth, a recent graduate of Bridgewater Normal School, was elected to fill the position of second assistant in this school.

The number of pupils receiving diplomas entitling them to admission to the North High School, at the commencement of the present school year, was larger than it had ever been before, viz., fifty-seven.

The committee have not felt that they were called upon to decide as to the rate of promotions, as that subject was in the hands of the superintendent, but we believe that the rate should be raised. We think that, especially in reference to the high schools, it is below the demands of the times and the best interests of the pupils, and that, if the grade of scholarship for admission was raised to its old standard or even higher to keep place with the advanced educational demands, these schools would fulfil much more satisfactorily the expectations of their friends.



It early became a question how to provide accommodations for this unusually large class. The main school-room was far too small, and the recitation-room, in addition, would not afford sufficient space.

The only alternative was to move the two lower grade schools occupying this house to other rooms, and use the Tremont house exclusively for the high school.

This course was rendered possible only by the increased accommodations afforded by the new school building in Ward Three, every room in which is now occupied.

In the South High School there is ample room for all pupils who will demand admission. In both schools there is great need of apparatus and mathematical and philosophical instruments to illustrate the principles of the studies there pursued.

This apparatus and many other things desired by the superintendent for the lower schools the committee have not felt at liberty to furnish, as they did not consider it wise to exceed the appropriation for incidentals.

The subject of high schools in this town is one of peculiar difficulty, principally on account of the scattered location of our population.

Our efforts are not concentrated upon one school, making this *one* of the very highest character, but are divided between the two.

The town neither furnishes, herself, to her pupils that education demanded for admission to the colleges, nor supplies that education elsewhere.

As a result there are some scholars who have to give up entirely the full preparatory training for a liberal education, or else are obliged to rely upon their own private resources to obtain it.

Consequently, almost every year there are some pupils, usually the very best scholars, who leave the high school and go to other institutions to complete their preparatory course. How can this difficulty be overcome? Either by paying the tuition of these pupils where they go or else by raising the grade of our own schools and educating them here.

If the town would assume the expense of their tuition elsewhere, deducting it, if necessary, from the appropriation for schools, it would



seem to be no more than just to this class of her pupils, who have the same claim to an education in those schools established by statute as any pupil in the lower grades has to suitable instruction there.

The latter course, educating them at home, would work no injustice to the other members of the school, as there are two distinct courses of study, the English and the classical. This arrangement could be much more easily carried into effect if we had only one high school.

If a consolidation of these two schools could be effected and a satisfactory location determined upon by a committee chosen by the town, with power to make arrangements for transportation for distant pupils if deemed wise, their cost could be materially reduced and their efficiency as much increased. The annual cost of our two high schools averages more than \$4,500, including ordinary expenses. In a single school of fifty pupils the cost of each one per annum is about \$37. In a school of one hundred and fifty scholars the cost to each one would be about \$17 per annum.

In regard to the real educational value of one first-class high school the committee entertain no doubt. Give us one such high school comprising those pupils who are sufficiently advanced in their studies; who are of the proper age to admit of judicious mental development; who propose to make teaching a profession, or to pursue a liberal education, — and we shall have a school that will be still more than at present an honor to the town.

We believe heartily in the high school. It is not only a legal but an educational necessity. There is a certain portion of our pupils to whom its advantages are invaluable. They are not those who enter the school merely as a fashionable finish to their educational career, or, indeed, those who go to complete an imperfect grammar-school course, but those who have a well-defined object in view and are determined to accomplish it. To these it should offer opportunities which will be a real aid to them in acquiring a thorough education.

## SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

The need of more and better school accommodations in Ward II. becomes more apparent every year. We do not, however, ask at this time an appropriation for a new building; but that steps may be taken in this direction by the appointment of a committee to select and secure a suitable lot of land on which to erect a house.

Extensive repairs are needed upon the roofs of the Bicknell house in Ward II., and the Tremont in Ward III., to prevent serious damage. For this purpose the committee ask for increased appropriation in their estimates for the coming year.

## TRUANTS.

The State requires each town to provide some suitable place where children who are habitual truants may be placed under proper restraint and receive care and instruction. The school committee are required to give information in their annual State report, whether this and other accompanying requirements have been complied with. This town has in part complied with the statutes in having adopted a code of by-laws, and appointing truant officers, but no adequate provision has been made for the disposition of the offenders.

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

The School Committee recommended : —

*First.* That the town make such arrangements in regard to the disposition of truants as are required by the laws of the Commonwealth.

*Second.* That a committee be appointed at the next annual meeting of the town to negotiate for the purchase of a suitable lot of land upon which to erect a school-house in Ward II.

*Third.* That the town make the following appropriations for schools, viz. : —

Salaries of fifty-four teachers . . . . .	\$24,000 00
Salaries of janitors and cleaning . . . . .	2,100 00
Fuel and incidentals . . . . .	2,600 00
Repairs of school-houses . . . . .	1,800 00

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Amount . . . . .	\$30,500 00
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This sum may be lessened by the Pratt

fund . . . . .	\$300 00
by the State fund . . . . .	200 00
by the alewife fund . . . . .	252 00
by part of dog fund . . . . .	398 00
	<hr/> 1,150 00

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Total . . . . .	\$29,350 00
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F. F. FORSAITH,  
 ELIZABETH C. HAWES.  
 LOUIS A. COOK.  
 Z. L. BICKNELL.  
 C. W. FEARING.



# SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT AND STATISTICAL TABLES.

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*To the School Committee, Weymouth, Mass. :*

I HAVE the honor to submit herewith my first annual report as superintendent of schools, stating in part what has been done, and what I think ought to be done.

## THE REPORT SYSTEM.

I wish that the people of Weymouth might fully understand the report system now in use in our schools. Previously to last summer, the high schools had a monthly report, the grammar schools a bimonthly, the intermediate schools a monthly, and the primary schools none at all. They now have, all of them, a bimonthly report. That for the primary schools is a simple affair; that for the high, grammar, and intermediate schools is more elaborate, with the following inscription on the back : —

At the end of the year, a YEARLY REPORT will be made up from the reports on the other side of this card. This yearly report, if favorable to the pupil, will, it is believed, be useful to him, constituting, as it were, a LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION from the school authorities, and serving as a sort of SUB-DIPLOMA for the year.

If, at any time during the year, a pupil brings home a report with conduct marked *bad*, parents will, it is hoped, inquire into the facts of the case, and learn why the mark is given. Our schools can help to form character as well as scholarship, and home influences and school influences should help each other.

I should like to say that several causes conspire to operate against the full and complete success of the report system. An exaggerated importance is attached to scholarship, so called. Mind, it must be remembered, is hard to mark. Schools cannot always measure it. It takes the world and posterity, too, sometimes to do that. I would tell scholars the truth frankly; I would tell them that whilst it is a great honor to be at the head of the class, it is no disgrace to be at the foot of it, provided they could n't help being there. Scholarship is n't everything. Good health and a clear conscience help a body out in this world. Character counts. A

balance wheel is essential. Good judgment in practical matters, honesty of purpose, and, withal, tenacity of purpose, — these are the main considerations. The best scholars do not always succeed in the world; the poorest sometimes do. It is impossible to tell how boys and girls are going to turn out; wait twenty-five years, until they are men and women, and then it is impossible. At the same time, you can give a pretty good guess, and report cards, though never infallible, tell a great deal. The same motives and disposition which make a scholar do well at school are likely to make him do well out in the world, and I would give more for the statement of a truly successful teacher as to the character and conduct of a boy under his charge than I would give for all the letters of recommendation which the neighbors [and friends of that boy could write.

Why, then, shouldn't a boy use his report card in seeking a situation, — in securing a place as errand-boy, clerk, or apprentice, — and why shouldn't the practice of seeking situations in this way become universal among boys? If a boy is faithful at school, he is likely to be faithful in distributing hand-bills, weeding gardens, or doing any other kind of work, and I think the average business man would say so, and naturally like the idea of furthering the ends of education while at the same time helping forward a bright, promising youth.

The annual report card alluded to in the inscription on the back of the bimonthly cards summarizes the reports of the year, and, making a few brief statements which he who runs may read, is fresh, clean, and presentable. This is designed for preservation, and, if the pupil sees fit, for use as above. (The card upon which the bimonthly reports are given, and which is carried home five times during the year for signature by parents, gets too dirty, and, in the second place, contains too many figures to be suitable for use as a testimonial.)

As a last word upon a subject upon which, as I am well aware, I am saying a great deal: *The teachers and myself are trying to make every boy feel it is nobler to be controlled by his report card than to be controlled by the rattan; nobler to fear a bit of paper with something written on it than to fear the rod.* We use the report system as a lever for great ends, — all the greater because we



strip it of all false terrors, and clothe it with no powers which do not belong to it. We have abolished ranking. Scholars should no more be ranked first, second, third, etc., in a class of so many members, than the parent should be ranked first, second, third, etc., in a town of so many inhabitants. And we keep conduct and scholarship as two distinct accounts; for you can't add up rascality and brains, and divide the sum by two or any other number: *they are unlike quantities.*

### BRINGING NATURE INTO THE SCHOOL-ROOM.

All the changes we have made in methods of instruction have been made with a view to bringing nature into the school-room. We have adopted the sentence method of teaching to read, which is simply the word method made interesting; and the four-process method of teaching number, which, in perfect keeping and consonance with the child mind, is also nature's method. Both of them bear the test of the school-room, and, being a combination of the old-fashioned and the new-fangled, with what is good in both, enable us to steer clear of ruts on the one hand and radicalism on the other.

### SUPPLEMENTARY READING.

If there is any one thing I am thankful for, or any one thing I think the people of Weymouth ought to be thankful for, so far as the schools are concerned, it is the introduction of a plenty of supplementary reading matter into the primary grades. All the pupils in these grades, except the very youngest, have five books to read through in the course of the year, besides their own. These extra or supplementary reading books, as they are called, are owned by the town, and passed around from school to school. I change them every eight weeks. The advantages of the system as carried out at present—the pupils buying one book and the town supplying five more of a somewhat easier description—is due to the fact that a lot of easy reading is better for pupils than a little hard reading, and a combination of the two is best of all. The primary grades are abundantly supplied for the present, and I hope that steps will soon be taken for supplying the intermediate grades.



### THINGS TO DO WITH.

We lack things to do with, — weights and measures for teaching compound numbers in the primary grades, moulding tables and blackboard globes for teaching geography in the grades pursuing this branch, and, in the high schools, philosophical apparatus, chemicals, and other essentials for doing laboratory work. It is poor economy to pay \$25,000 a year for teachers' salaries and not to provide these things, just as, in buying a scythe, it is poor economy not to incur the additional expense of a whetstone, or, in cooking a dinner, not to burn quite fuel enough; and, if the shoe factories of this place pursued the same course in regard to tools and machinery, they would sooner or later have to succumb.

### ADMISSION TO THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The trouble with our schools is not so much at the top as at the bottom; not so much with the turrets as with the foundation stones; and there would be few complaints or criticisms with regard to admitting scholars to the high schools too soon if everything were done for the lower grades (especially the primary) which ought to be done, and everything were required of these grades which ought to be required. Pupils may be too freely promoted in the primary grades, and I think they are, but they are not, in my opinion, too freely promoted in the grammar grades; and if, last summer and the summer before, a much smaller number had been admitted to the high schools, there would have been a reaction all over the town the other way. Allow me to say, you no more want a longer grammar-school course of study than the United States wants a greater territorial expansion. You now have a nine-years' course of study prior to admission to the high school, and that is all Boston or any other city in New England has. It is a mistake to suppose that high-school instruction is less practical, or, for the years of the pupils, more difficult than that of the lower grades; and, in my own opinion (I may be wrong, however), there are as many non-essentials taught in the grammar schools of the country to-day, useless details in history and other subjects, as in the high schools. Strike out these non-essentials, and build up the primary and intermediate schools by the purchase of the various little things they need to do with, thereby making the in-

struction *tell!* and pupils will enter the high schools with as good a fit in the common English branches as they will ever need, or, at the age of fifteen years, could be expected to obtain.

But the tax-payers would probably like to know what these "little things" are going to cost. Leaving out of consideration the purchase of supplementary reading books, I do not think any increase of appropriations is necessary, provided no changes in text-books take place for a number of years, and provided the pupils continue to buy their own stationery, as at present.

I would not, however, recommend supplying the high schools with their needed apparatus, etc., by a single large outlay, after the manner of a rich man who buys a library, but by degrees, and a small annual appropriation to be expended by the high-school principals to meet the most pressing wants of the schools under their charge, as these wants appear to them from time to time to arise.

#### HAGGLED FURNITURE.

There is more haggled furniture in the school-houses at East Weymouth than there ought to be in all Norfolk County, and more haggled furniture in the school-houses in Ward Four than there ought to be on the whole South Shore! What does haggled furniture practically say to a boy? It says, Cut, deface, mar, abuse. Your father and big brothers did so before you, and you might as well do so, too. What does nice-looking, well-kept furniture practically say to a boy! It says, Love the beautiful. The people of this community esteem an education, and so must you. Don't go to smashing things, but be self-respecting and law-abiding.

It is for this reason, I think, that, for the next year or two, repairs of teachers' and pupils' desks, chairs, etc., should take precedence of all other repairs which the absolute necessities of the case do not demand.

#### MUSIC.

Not to understand music, to be unable to draw, to be ignorant of botany, physics, chemistry, and geology, is to be out of joint with the nineteenth century, which demands a broad culture. — a high-school as well as a grammar-school culture, a training of the ear, eye, hand, and voice, a development of the body as well as the brain, and a general upbuilding of all the faculties.



Out-door and in-door concerts are so common now, and music enters so largely into the festivities of all public and private occasions, that no one can get the full enjoyment of life without a knowledge of music. Failing to teach it, we debar the children of the poor, who cannot afford private instruction, from the reasonable pleasures of existence, and this, too, in a town which enjoys an enviable reputation for musical culture.

Music is health-giving. It builds up the voice; and a person's chances in life are better if he can handle his voice well. He can sell goods better, appear better in society, and create a better impression wherever he goes.

I recommend, therefore, the employment of a lady teacher of music, with a salary of, say \$400 a year, with \$100 additional for travelling expenses, to go into all the schools from lowest to highest, — teaching half an hour a week in schools easily reached, and three quarters of an hour a fortnight in others, — her instruction to be supplemented by a ten minutes' daily drill on the part of the regular teachers.

#### IN CONCLUSION.

There has been much patient upbuilding of the schools in times past, effectual supervision, and hard work; and I am proud to be placed in charge of schools so good. I can conscientiously say that there is not a positively poor school or a positively poor teacher in town. I can conscientiously say, too, that I think the teachers have been elected in accordance with the principles of civil-service reform, with a view to the best interests of the schools, and without the baneful influence of politics, partisanship, or favoritism. As this is the first time in all my life I was ever able as superintendent of schools to make either one of these statements, the ability to make them now affords me great satisfaction, the expression of which in these pages is entirely spontaneous and unfeigned.

Respectfully submitted,

GILMAN C. FISHER,  
*Superintendent of Schools.*



## STATISTICS.

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NAMES OF THE GRADUATES FROM THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS,  
JUNE, 1882.

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### ADAMS.

ELLA A. RICHARDS,	SARAH I. BURRELL,
ANNIE K. JONES,	LILLIE E. DOW,
EMERSON L. HUNT,	SUSIE L. HASKINS,
ARTHUR M. DOW.	

### ATHENS.

HARRIET E. JACKSON,	LUCY H. DYER,
EDNA P. TALBOT,	LILLIAN H. BURRELL,
EDITH B. CHUBBUCK,	WILLIAM H. HAGERTY,
JOSHUA P. HOLBROOK.	

### FRANKLIN.

ARTHUR C. BURRELL,	MARY E. DEE,
WILLIAM E. FENNELL,	BLANCHE LEAVITT,
WALTER E. FRENCH,	L. LOTTIE LOVELL,
CHARLES J. MCMORROW,	HANNAH J. MCGRATH,
EDWIN T. PRATT,	FANNIE G. PIERCE,
WILLIAM M. REAMEY,	JENNIE N. RANDALL,
EDWIN P. TIRRELL,	HONORAH F. MCGRATH,
DANIEL E. WHELAN,	EVERELDA A. ORCUTT,
FANNIE E. BURRELL,	MARY A. KEATING,
ELMER W. WHITTEN.	

## TUFTS.

ELMER A. SMITH,  
 AGNES M. WARD,  
 ANNIE I. THAYER,  
 A. EDWIN ARNOLD,  
 HENRY M. STACK,  
 NELLIE F. WHELAN,  
 KATE M. FITZGERALD,  
 NELLIE F. PRAY,  
 EMMA J. DWYER,  
 EMMA C. FAIRBANKS,  
 WILLIE A. PIERCE,  
 PERCY I. DAVIDSON,

HERBERT L. BOUTON,  
 ELLA H. CHANDLER,  
 HELENA M. CALLAHAN,  
 LIZZIE M. DOWSE,  
 CHARLES I. PORTER,  
 HENRY M. FORD,  
 ALICE L. GUTTERSON,  
 JENNIE D. THAYER,  
 ANNIE L. COFFEY,  
 IDA E. SHEPPARD,  
 JOHN W. AHERN,  
 GEORGE H. FRENCH.

## CENTRE.

HUGH P. MARTIN.

## PRATT.

FANNIE E. HAWES,

BERTHA E. HUNT,  
 FRANK W. REA.

## SHAW.

LILLIAN M. PURCELL,  
 ANGIE M. FEARING,

L. EMMA NASH,  
 JOHANNA L. ROCHE.

## BATES.

EVA W. ROBINSON,  
 LAURA D. MATSON,  
 MARY L. BATES,  
 AMY L. THOMAS,  
 NELLIE F. BELCHER,  
 FRED. M. TORREY,

JOHN J. FLYNN,  
 EDWARD D. VOSE,  
 LILLIAN M. SHAW,  
 SARAH E. MARTIN,  
 MARY E. BEANE,  
 PERCY W. DERBY.

## NAMES OF GRADUATES FROM THE HIGH SCHOOLS.

## NORTH HIGH, JUNE 30, 1882.

MARGARET T. FORD,	GEORGE A. ARMINGTON,
EMMA F. HUNT,	EMMA L. CLAPP,
BRITANNIA E. HARLOW,	FLORENCE J. FAY,
WALTER G. FORSYTH,	AGNES T. DUNPHY,
MABEL J. THAYER.	

## SOUTH HIGH, JUNE 29, 1882.

ANNIE M. NASH,	EDITH F. RAYMOND,
MARY E. NASH,	MARY E. DOBLE,
NELLIE M. HOLBROOK,	ALLEN T. TIRRELL.



## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE FROM AUG. 29, 1881, TO JUNE 30, 1882.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Whole No. Enrolled.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Attendance.	Number of Visitors.
PRIMARY.						
Adams (mixed).....	Stella L. Tirrell.....	40	34	31	91	35
Athens.....	Ella M. Burgess.....	48	43	38	89	47
Athens.....	Emma F. Thayer.....	55	43	33	77	55
Franklin.....	Mrs. A. F. Gardner.....	64	55	50	91	31
Grant.....	Mary A. Webster.....	42	38	33	87	22
High Street.....	Susie L. Farren.....	67	49	38	78	30
Howe.....	Mary B. Tirrell.....	51	35	33	94	68
Lincoln.....	Hannah E. Ward.....	43	39	34	87	72
Middle Street.....	Carrie L. Farren.....	76	60	47	78	13
Perkins.....	Mary L. Hunt.....	59	54	45	83	57
Perkins.....	S. Lizzie Hunt.....	60	48	38	79	61
Pleasant Street.....	Hattie E. Darcy.....	59	43	34	79	19
Shaw.....	Mrs. L. B. Holbrook.....	53	41	36	88	47
Tremont.....	Hattie L. Reed.....	55	42	35	83	70
INTERMEDIATE.						
Athens.....	Mary L. Ellis.....	54	46	41	89	56
Bates.....	Mary L. Bates.....	37	35	32	91	26
Bicknell.....	{ H. M. Terry.....	42	36	33	92	18
Bicknell.....	{ Mattie N. Hanson.....					
Bicknell.....	Martha J. Hawes.....	39	34	29	85	18
High Street.....	Lizzie R. Healey.....	40	35	30	86	22
Lincoln.....	Emma F. Parker.....	51	45	40	89	49
Middle Street.....	{ Clara L. Hutchings.....	43	37	33	89	43
Middle Street.....	{ Minnie M. Hunt.....					
School Street.....	Mabel Lamson.....	40	34	27	79	33
Shaw.....	Maria C. Holbrook.....	29	27	25	93	17
Tremont.....	Antoinette W. Knights.....	60	53	42	79	52
Tufts.....	Sara E. Wilbar.....	48	43	37	86	39
Centre (mixed).....	Mary J. Moore.....	28	23	21	91	29
Holbrook (mixed).....	Ellena S. Spilsted.....	42	41	37	90	11
Hollis (mixed).....	Lenna B. Cook.....	37	29	27	93	22
Howe (mixed).....	Mrs. Maria A. Morrill.....	49	46	44	96	40
Pond (mixed).....	Martha E. Belcher.....	37	29	25	86	44
Pratt (mixed).....	Sarah W. Spilsted.....	40	37	31	84	26
Pleasant Street (mixed).....	Katie C. Keohan.....	46	39	32	82	18
River (mixed).....	Clarabelle Pratt.....	40	33	30	91	13
Thomas (mixed).....	Mrs. Emma J. Smith.....	37	35	29	83	11
GRAMMAR.						
Adams (mixed).....	Fred. E. Loud.....	31	28	23	82	34
Athens.....	James E. Humphrey.....	40	34	32	94	30
Bates (1st and 2d).....	{ E. R. Downs, Principal....	51	45	41	91	12
Bates (1st and 2d).....	{ C. L. Logue, Assistant....					
Bates (3d).....	Lizzie L. Whitman.....	34	31	28	90	34
Franklin (1st and 2d).....	{ E. E. Thompson, Principal..	72	62	59	95	45
Franklin (1st and 2d).....	{ Mary F. Leavitt, Assistant..					
Franklin (3d, boys).....	Mary E. Long.....	31	28	25	89	31
Franklin (3d, girls).....	Ellen G. Parrott.....	37	34	31	91	16
Pratt (mixed).....	{ Geo. C. Torrey, Principal..	55	45	43	96	40
Pratt (mixed).....	{ Mary L. Dyer, Assistant....					
Shaw.....	Sophia L. Vining.....	40	37	34	92	18
Tufts.....	J. W. Armington.....	33	32	29	91	33
Tufts.....	Mary L. Lewis.....	26	24	21	88	21
Tufts.....	Hattie B. Baker.....	36	32	29	91	14
HIGH.						
North High.....	{ G. W. Shaw, Principal.....	75	72	69	96	45
North High.....	{ Helen A. Fiske, Assistant..					
South High.....	{ Geo. B. Vose, Principal....	44	41	39	95	10
South High.....	{ Harriet C. Torrey, Assistant					

## SCHOOLS, SALARIES, ETC., JAN. 1, 1883.

TEACHERS.	SCHOOLS.	* GRADES.	Sala- ries.	When Elected to present Position.
WARD I.				
Charles S. Haskell .....	Athens .....	7th to 9th	\$900	August 11, 1882
Mary L. Ells.....	" .....	4th to 6th	360	August 28, 1876
Ella M. Burgess.....	" .....	3d	320	August 20, 1880
Emma F. Thayer.....	" .....	1st and 2d	320	August 6, 1880
Lottie A. Ham.....	Adams.....	5th to 9th	500	August 26, 1882
Agnes T. Dunphy.....	" .....	1st to 4th	320	Nov. 24, 1882
Clarabelle Pratt.....	River .....	1st to 7th	340	August 27, 1876
WARD II.				
Edgar E. Thompson, Prin...	Franklin .....	9th	900	August 15, 1879
Mary F. Leavitt, Assistant ..	" .....	8th (girls)	340	August 17, 1881
Mary E. Long.....	" .....	8th (boys)	400	June 23, 1882
Ellen G. Parrott.....	" .....	7th	400	August 31, 1872
Lottie B. Tower .....	" .....	1st	320	August 11, 1882
Mattie N. Hanson.....	Bicknell .....	6th	460	May 16, 1882
Florence J. Fay, Assistant ..	" .....		100	Sept. 15, 1882
Martha J. Hawes.....	" .....	5th	340	August 12, 1878
Lizzie R. Healey.....	High Street....	4th	340	August 31, 1872
Priscilla L. Collier .....	" .....	2d	320	Sept. 15, 1882
Mary A. Webster.....	School Street....	3d	320	Sept. 15, 1882
Minnie M. Hunt.....	Middle Street...	4th and 5th	340	Jan. 18, 1882
Mabel J. Thayer .....	" .....	2d and 3d	320	August 11, 1882
Ida F. Taylor .....	Grant.....	1st and 3d	320	August 11, 1882
Katie C. Keohan.....	Pleasant Street..	1st	320	August 17, 1881
WARD III.				
J. W. Armington .....	Lincoln .....	9th	900	April 6, 1870
Lottie E. Allen.....	" .....	8th	400	Dec. 1, 1882
Hattie B. Baker.....	" .....	7th	400	August 27, 1880
Sara E. Wilbar.....	" .....	6th	360	Jan. 27, 1882
Antoinette W. Knights.....	" .....	5th	340	August 1, 1879
S. Lizzie Hunt .....	" .....	1st	320	August 29, 1879
Emma F. Parker.....	Tufts .....	4th	340	August 28, 1876
Hannah E. Ward.....	" .....	3d	320	August 28, 1876
Hattie E. Darcy.....	" .....	2d	320	August 11, 1882
Hattie L. Reed.....	" .....	1st	320	March 30, 1882
WARD IV.				
George C. Torrey, Principal.	Pratt .....	6th to 9th	900	August 25, 1873
Mary L. Dyer, Assistant ....	" .....		340	April 6, 1874
Sarah W. Spelster .....	" .....	1st to 5th	340	Jan. 4, 1875
Ellena S. Spilsted.....	Holbrook .....	1st to 5th	340	August 29, 1873
Sophia L. Vining.....	Shaw .....	7th to 9th	500	Nov. 20, 1871
Maria C. Holbrook .....	" .....	4th to 6th	360	Jan. 4, 1875
Mrs. L. B. Holbrook .....	" .....	1st to 3d	320	August 29, 1879
Mary J. Moore.....	Centre .....	1st, 3d, 4th, and 7th	340	October 31, 1879
WARD V.				
Edgar R. Downs, Principal..	Bates .....	9th	900	Feb. 6, 1880
Louvie F. Logue, Assistant..	" .....	8th	340	June 13, 1879
Lizzie L. Whitman.....	" .....	7th	400	Jan. 5, 1875
Mary L. Bates.....	" .....	5th and 6th	360	August 26, 1881
Mrs. M. A. Morrill .....	Howe .....	3d and 4th	340	Sept. 1, 1860
Mary B. Tirrell.....	" .....	1st and 2d	320	August 26, 1881
Mrs. E. J. Smith .....	Thomas.....	1st to 6th	340	Dec. 16, 1872
Martha E. Belcher .....	Pond.....	1st to 6th	340	August 9, 1878
Lenna B. Cook.....	Hollis.....	1st to 6th	340	Sept. 12, 1881
HIGH SCHOOLS.				
Robert E. Denfeld .....	North High.....	10th to 13th	1,200	July 17, 1882
Edith A. Parkhurst .....	" .....		500	August 31, 1882
Carrie A. Tower .....	" .....		360	July 17, 1882
Nathaniel S. French.....	South High.....	10th to 13th	1,200	August 11, 1882
Harriet C. Torrey.....	" .....		500	April 10, 1882

\* Grades 1st to 3d are primary; 4th to 6th, intermediate; 7th to 9th, grammar; 10th to 13th, high.

## SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

Population of town according to census of 1880 . . . 10,578

Number of children in town between five and fifteen years of age  
by school census of May, 1882 : —

Ward I.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	295
“ II.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	700
“ III.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	446
“ IV.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	275
“ V.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	290
Total	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2,006

	No. of Scholars Enrolled.	No. enrolled over 15 Years of Age.	No. of Teachers.
Ward I.	308	31	7
“ II.	698	32	15
“ III.	471	35	10
“ IV.	287	10	8
“ V.	333	19	9
North High School	75	66	3
South High School	44	36	2
Total	2,216	229	54

This table is based upon the school registers for the year ending July, 1882.



# COURSES OF STUDY FOR HIGH SCHOOLS.

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A.—ENGLISH COURSE.    B.—GENERAL COURSE    C.—COLLEGE PREPARATORY COURSE.

## FIRST YEAR.

### FIRST TERM.

Course A. Algebra. English (Idioms). Civil Government.  
“ B. Algebra. Latin or English. Civil Government.  
“ C. Algebra. Latin — Grammar and Reader. Civil Government.

### SECOND TERM.

Course A. Algebra. English (Errors). Bookkeeping.  
“ B. Algebra. Latin or English. Bookkeeping.  
“ C. Algebra. Latin — Grammar and Reader. Bookkeeping.

### THIRD TERM.

Course A. Algebra. English (Words, Roots, and Derivatives).  
French — Grammar and Conversation.  
“ B. Algebra. Latin or English. French — Grammar and  
Conversation.  
“ C. Algebra. Latin — Grammar and Reader. French —  
Grammar and Conversation.

## SECOND YEAR.

### FIRST TERM.

Course A. Geometry. English (Words and Synonymes). French —  
Grammar and Conversation.  
“ B. Geometry. Latin and English. French — Grammar and  
Conversation.  
“ C. Geometry. Latin — Cæsar. French — Grammar and  
Conversation.

### SECOND TERM.

Course A. Geometry. Physiology. French — Charles XII.  
“ B. Geometry. Latin or Physiology. French — Charles XII.  
“ C. Geometry. Latin — Cæsar. French — Charles XII.

### THIRD TERM.

Course A. Geometry. Physiology. Botany.  
“ B. Geometry. Physiology. German. Botany, or French —  
Moliere.  
“ C. Geometry. Latin — Virgil. Greek — Grammar and  
Reader.

## THIRD YEAR.

## FIRST TERM.

- Course A. Physics. Trigonometry. Zoölogy.  
 “ B. Physics. Trigonometry or German. Zoölogy, or French  
 — Racine.  
 “ C. Physics. Latin — Virgil. Greek — Grammar and  
 Reader.

## SECOND TERM.

- Course A. Physics. Chemistry. Rhetoric.  
 “ B. Physics. Chemistry. Rhetoric.  
 “ C. Physics. Latin — Virgil. Greek — Anabasis.

## THIRD TERM.

- Course A. Physical Geography. Chemistry. Rhetoric.  
 “ B. Physical Geography. Chemistry. Rhetoric.  
 “ C. Physical Geography. Latin — Cicero. Greek — Anabasis.

## FOURTH YEAR.

## FIRST TERM.

- Course A. History (Ancient). Geology. English Literature.  
 “ B. History (Ancient). Geology. English Literature.  
 “ C. History (Ancient). Latin — Cicero. Greek — Iliad.

## SECOND TERM.

- Course A. History (Mediæval). Civil Government. English Literature.  
 “ B. History (Mediæval). Civil Government. English Literature.  
 “ C. History (Mediæval). Civil Government. Greek — Iliad.

## THIRD TERM.

- Course A. History (Modern). Civil Government. Astronomy.  
 “ B. History (Modern). Civil Government. Astronomy or  
 Logic.  
 “ C. History (Modern) or Botany. Latin — Review. Greek  
 — Iliad and Prose Composition.

Drawing and English composition, including punctuation, once a week throughout all the courses. Arithmetic and geography once a week through the first and second year; and reading and elocution, etc., and moral science once a week through the third and fourth year in all the courses.





